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A Good Joke.

A pleasant and harmless joke was played on a colored "punson" living in Roxbury, a few days since. A prominent business man informed Sam that he was wanted by the Highland Railway to wash the windows of the "open cars," and a line was given him to the Superintendent. Sam started straightway on his errand, handed the note to an officer of the road who directed him to an "open car," which Sam surveyed intently for a few moments, when in the genuine accents of the race, he exclaimed: "Yes, this am an open car, Boss, but whar am der winders." Sam, after a pause saw the point, and collapsed, walked leisurely away with a broad grin on his classic features, ejaculating, "Yes, Boss, but whar am der winders." The joke was hugely enjoyed by the employees of the road, the seller and the sold.

Baked Beans—New England Style.

Soak the common white beans over night, pour off the water in the morning and add just enough fresh water to cover; boil slowly till done—about an hour and a half—strain in a colander, put in a piece of fat pickled pork, boiled for half an hour previously, which salts the beans sufficient; score the rind of the pork in inch squares and have it even with the top of the beans; have at first just water enough to cover and as they cook dry continue to add boiling water; they should cook slowly for several hours.

Glossed Shirt Bosoms.

An old reliable washerwoman says that the way she has retained her customers is by exercising great care and using the following preparation: Take two ounces of fine white gum-arabic powder, put it in a pitcher and pour on a pint or more of water, and then, having covered it, let it stand all night. In the morning pour it carefully from the dregs into a clean bottle, cork and keep it for use. A teaspoonful of gum water stirred in a pint of starch made in the usual way will give to lawns, white or printed a look of newness, when nothing else can restore them, after they have been

Great Light House.

One of the seven wonders of human creation, was the Colossus of Rhodes, an immense brass statue erected before the Christian era. It was so large that the legs extended to either side of the port-mouth, and the largest ships could pass between, with full sails set. Its right hand was a furnace for fire, a sea light for the benefit of commerce, which was reached by a winding stair case. It was simply enormous in height and all its proportions on a grander scale than has ever been attempted since. Like the pyramids of Egypt, it leaves us to wonder how the ancients were able to raise such stupendous weights; for when it was shaken down by an earthquake it required 900 camels to remove what fell upon the land, while what fell into the sea remains there yet, so far as we know of.

Yankee Pie.

Dr. H. V. Redfield, who has been traveling through the South, says: "A physician in North Alabama, having a large practice in the rural districts, and of necessity stopping among his patients, tells me that nineteen out of every twenty of the meals he sits down to are of fried meat and hot bread. Yet dyspepsia does not follow to the extent one would suppose. He thinks they escape the disease which such a diet would seem to invite by the outdoor life they lead. This physician says that dyspepsia would be an unknown disease in the Southern States if it was not for the hot bread and the frying-pan. Army life during the late war cured more dyspepsias than bullets killed. I asked this physician why it was that in the Eastern States, where hot bread is a steady diet is almost unknown, dyspepsia was even more prevalent than in the Southern States. He said that it was pie and cake which played the mischief in that quarter. Pie and cake work the same injury to the stomachs of the Eastern people that hot bread and the frying-pan did for the Southerners. If anything, it was worse. He thought he would rather risk his digestion upon Southern biscuit than New England pie. The pie was the greater curse, and annually killed more people by slowly breaking down their digestive powers."

An amusing anecdote is related

of a man in the south of France, who received a letter from his son in the army, begging him to send him some shoes and some money. The old man, willing to comply with the request, but having no ready means of forwarding the articles than the telegraph, procured the shoes and hung them on the wire. A laborer, returning home from his work, saw the shoes and cut them down, leaving his old ones instead. The old man next day came to see how the wire had performed, was delighted and exclaimed, "My poor boy has not only received the shoes, but has sent back his old ones!"

Newspaper Fun.

Next to the printer's blunder's some of the "answers to correspondents" are among the most ludicrous things connected with journalism. For instance, one of the leading N. Y. story papers gives the following reply to an inquirer: "There is no stated rule for writing love letters. You should write on foolscap paper, and bear on as soft as you can, using words of such burning love that they will sizzle on the point of the pen. It is also advisable to sling in a hunk of pathos occasionally, such as "Dearest Augustus, I love you with a love larger than an elephant's." I think of you every day, and by-and-by, when the days grow longer, shall think of you twice a day. It is also well to put an ink blot in the corner, with the observation, "Darling I kissed this spot," or "I have a sigh in this vicinity."

Somebody wrote to the editor of a country paper to ask how he would "break an ox?" The editor answered as follows: "If only one ox, a good way would be to hoist him, by means of a long chain attached to his tail, to the top of a pole forty feet from the ground. Then hoist him by a rope tied to his horns, to another pole. Then descend on his back a five-ton pile-driver, and if that don't break him, let him start a country newspaper and trust people for subscription. One of the two ways will do it sure."

Scolding.

Scolding is mostly a habit. There is not much meaning to it. It is often the result of nervousness, and an irritable condition of both mind and body. A person is tired, or annoyed at some trivial cause, and forthwith commences finding fault at everything and everybody in reach. Scolding is a habit very easily formed. It is astonishing how soon one who indulges in it at all becomes addicted to it and confirmed in it. It is an unreasonable and unreasonable habit. Persons who once get in the way of scolding always find something to scold about. If there was nothing else, they would fall as-scoolding at the mere absence of anything to scold at. It is an extremely disagreeable habit. The constant rumbling of thunder, caterwaulings, or a hand-organ under one's window would be less unpleasant.

One introduced into a family, it is pretty certain, in a short time, to affect all the members. If one of them begins always finding fault about something, or nothing, the others are apt very soon to take it up, and a very unnecessary bedlam is created.

People in the country more readily fall into the habit of scolding than people in town. We suppose it is because they have less to occupy and divert their attention. Women contract the habit more frequently than men. This may be because they live more in the house in a confined and heated atmosphere, very trying to the nervous system and the health in general; and it may be, partly, that their nature is more susceptible, and their sensitiveness more easily wound. Women are sometimes called divine, but a scolding woman never seems divine. But we will say no more on the subject, or some pretty creature may feel inclined to scold us for what we say about scolding.

Cloves.

Cloves are unopened flowers of a small evergreen tree, that resembles in appearance the laurel or the bay. It is a native of the Molucca or Spice Islands, but has been carried to all the warmer parts of the world, and is largely cultivated in the tropical regions of America. The flowers are small in size and grow in large numbers in clusters at the very end of the branches. The cloves we use are the flowers gathered before they are opened and whilst they are still green. After being gathered they are smoked by a wood fire and then dried in the sun. Each consists of two parts, a round head, which is the four petals or leaves of the flower rolled up, inclosing a number of stocks and filaments. The other part of the clove is terminated with four points, and is, in fact, the flower cup and the uripie seed vessel. All these parts may be distinctly shown if a few leaves are soaked a short time in hot water, when the leaves soften and readily unroll.

A Cure for Low Spirits.

Exercise for the body, occupation for the mind: these are the grand constituents of health and happiness, the careful points upon which everything turns. Motion seems to be a great preserving principle of nature, to which even inanimate things are subject; for the winds, waves, the earth itself, are restless, and the waving of trees, shrubs, and flowers is known to be an essential part of their ceremony. A fixed rule of taking several hours exercise every day, if possible, in the open air, if not, under covering, will be almost certain to secure one exemption from disease, as well as from attacks of low spirits, or ennui—that monster who is ever way-laying the rich and indolent. "Throw but a stone, the giant dies." Low spirits cannot exist in the atmosphere of bodily and mental activity.

Miscellany.

ONLY A WORD.

Full many a shaft at random sent, Finds mark the archer little meant. The music room adjoined the luxuriously furnished parlors, separated from them by a fall of crimson drapery. The youngest daughter of the house was seated at the piano, practicing diligently. The hall door swung back, and guests were shown into the rooms. Clara sprang from her perch upon the music stool, and peeped through the folds of intervening silk-lined damask.

"Oh, Miss Leslie, it is company to see sister May, so you know mamma does not wish the piano going. May I go?" Florence Leslie smiled at the eager child, who gave her a hurried though loving kiss, and vanished until the callers should have gone.

Florence drew a small German text-book from her pocket and busied herself with her self-imposed lesson. Suddenly her attention was attracted by a familiar name. The young girls were evidently looking through an album of imperial photographs, belonging to May Islington, which generally occupied a conspicuous place on the center table. It was a clear ringing voice which spoke, and Florence could not avoid hearing every word.

"See, Linda, here is a splendid picture about him? The last one, too, will you imagine, to do such a funny, or rather unusual thing?" The answer was so subdued that it escaped Florence, whose eyes and bated breath showed her intense interest in the subject; but the gay, ringing voice of the first speaker went on again: "They say he has fallen in love with a poor governess, and pays her as deferential attention as though she were a princess. But, mind you, it'll all be put a stop to when Halsey's mother comes home from Europe. She's the proudest woman that ever lived, and Halsey's her idol. I hear from good authority, that she said if Halsey chose a girl beneath him for a wife, she'd never look upon his face again, and he shouldn't have a penny of her money. Oh, good morning, May! I was looking over your album!"

A sound of pleasant greetings and of the white face, but at a moment since as blithe and fair as a pure conscience and happy heart could make it, now pressed wearily into the cushions of the armchair into which she had sunk in her mute, tearful agony. She was that poor young governess! poor indeed now, when she thought that she must put out of her heart the sweet visions which had made life so far these few weeks past, or ruin her lover's prospects forever.

In her hand was a cluster of rose-buds—his gift—sent with a wish, he said in the accompanying note. She had fastened them on as a breast-knot, with shy blushes and bright hopes, for she saw in her mirror how becoming they were to her pale, pure beauty, and thought that the giver could not but answer in their acceptance when he called, as he had promised, during the morning; now they could carry him no mute message of encouragement.

Florence Leslie was an orphan daughter of an old friend of Mrs. Islington, and was not placed on the footing of a dependent in her family. She was introduced to their friends, and included oftentimes in the family invitations. In this way she had become acquainted with Halsey Moore. The girls had gone, and Clara came bounding into the room to finish her allotted hour. Florence listened mechanically, a heavy, dull pain circling round her heart. In one short half-hour Halsey would come, and how could she receive him? He was not a declared lover, but his manner had of late said in many little tender ways, "I love you," and underlined in the note sent with the flowers was this: "I must see you for a few moments before I go to meet my mother, whose steamer is due to-day. Does your tender little heart whisper what I have to say?" She had but a short time in which to map out her course of action, when Halsey came. As she went into the room he arose eagerly to meet her, his face glowing with pleasure; but he stopped in surprise as he saw her changed expression.

The shy, delicately featured face had hitherto flushed and dimpled beneath his look. The great eyes had been wont it is true, to avoid meeting his ardent, admiring gaze; but they had been so radiant with happy light that the transparent, heavily-fringed lids could not conceal their brightness.

Now she stood like some tall, pale lily, void of bloom and bending her head beneath some load of sorrow. He held out his hands involuntarily. "Miss Leslie—Florence, you are in trouble? Will you not let me share it with you?"

The girl raised her sad eyes to his handsome, eager face, and her lips quivered as she turned away. "Did you receive my note? Surely you have understood my meaning? Florence, darling, I want you! I need you! Will you be my wife?"

She looked at him wistfully, and her lips moved, but they uttered no sound. His face paled suddenly.

Poetry.

The Old Homestead.

Lines written by a Lady on taking a final leave of the Home of her Youth.

With eyes brimful of unshed tears, With weary step and slow, I walk about the house to take One last look ere I go.

For I must leave the dear old Home— And now, to say good bye, To every dear familiar place, My heart was light as air.

Through every room, up stairs and down, I wander hand in hand With memory, which speaks, what I Alone can understand.

In this room whispering of days When I knew naught of care; When grief and I were strangers, and My heart was light as air.

"Will you,"—thus memory speaks,—"forget That corner where you hung Your stockings up for 'Santa Claus' To fill, when you were young?"

What other memories come to you Of that warm corner there? You mind the little footstool, and The well-worn rocking chair?

Will you forget in coming years, The hours you there have spent, With head at rest on mother's knee, While counsel sweet she lent?

Will you remember, by and by, When youth is far behind, The precious truths her love instilled In your untutored mind?

You have learned many lessons here! Will you forget them all? Will future years, twist you and them, Build up a boundless wall?

Then Memory calls on Fancy To paint what she recalls; And a hundred old time pictures, Shine out on Memory's walls.

The table yonder gleams beneath Its weight of vases spread; While round it mother and her "brood," With father at the head,

In glad reunion sit. Once more The room with laughter rings; And then comes stealing on my ears The long past Sabbath sings.

In this room, memory whispers low, "Twas here your heart was tried By grief and loss!"—I pause and weep,— "Twas here my mother died!"

This room was mother's room! all things Are changed from what they were, When father fell asleep that day, To wake in Heaven with me!

Yes! everything is changed! I miss My treasures everywhere! The smiles, the voices, all are gone! Empty is each arm chair!

Here I was born! this dear old room From youth to womanhood Has been my own special place! I would not if I could,

Forget what I have learned here, What joys have not me here! Only my heart and I can know What makes this room so dear!

Here we have learned many things; Here we have fought with grief; Here we have conquered self, and won Relief from unbelief.

Here we have struggled with pain, And learned to bear it, too! Reaped golden seed of patience; strength To do what we must do!

O, heart of mine! be comforted! Be brave to God's will! He led us safely through the past; He leads us onward still!

WILMOT'S,

263 Washington Street, BOSTON.

MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS, OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE, From \$6 to \$25 each.

MEN'S BUSINESS SUITS, From \$6 to \$20.

MEN'S PANTALOONS, From \$1.75 to 5.

Boys' Clothing.

BOYS' SUITS, AGE 3 TO 10 YEARS. \$2.50 to \$7.

BOYS' SUITS, AGE 10 TO 15 YEARS. \$4.00 to \$10.

YOUNG MEN'S NOBBY OVERCOATS \$10 to \$20.

BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 3 to 10 years, \$4 to \$8.

BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 8 to 15 years, \$4 to \$12.

Men's Custom Department.

Pants from Measure, \$5. Overcoats from Measure, \$20.

Business Suits from Measure, \$25. FALL OVERCOATS FROM MEASURE, \$10.

Goods marked in plain figures, and no deviation in price.

WILMOT'S, 263 Washington St., Boston. Sept. 29. 12w

Pure Cider Vinegar, 30 cents per gallon.

For sale by HENRY CHUBBUCK.

Three Express Wagons, AND HARNESSES.

One Large Ice Chest, Meat Punch, Scales, and everything needed for fitting up a Provision Store.

At house near Universalist Church. Quincy, Aug. 11.

NEW Carriage Painting Shop.

The undersigned desires to call attention to their new Carriage Painting Establishment ON GRANITE STREET.

Over Curley's Blacksmith Shop, and on the Latest Terms.

Work Done in the Most Approved Style, and on the Lowest Terms.

SIGN PAINTING done to order. Please give a call before going elsewhere.

MCDONALD & SAMPSON. Quincy, Aug. 4. 3m

RALPH LOWE RETURNS his thanks to the public generally for their liberal patronage, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

All orders left will receive prompt attention.

Collar and Harness Making, — AND — Carriage Trimmings

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES N. B. Every article in the trade made to order, and REPAIRING done in the neatest manner and at the most reasonable rates.

Quincy, Aug. 26.

JOB PRINTING. EVERY VARIETY OF PRINTING neatly and promptly, and accurately executed, at the very lowest cash prices, at the PATRIOT OFFICE.

LAPLANDERS FOR BREAKFAST. Three eggs, three cups sweet milk, one spoonful melted butter, three cups of flour, a little salt. Beat well together, and bake in iron moulds.

KITCHEN ODORS. A lump of bread about the size of a billiard ball tied up in a linen bag inserted in a pot which boils greens, will absorb the gases which oftentimes send such an insupportable odor to the regions above.

Resolve never to speak of a man's virtues to his face, nor of his faults behind his back—a golden rule the observation of which would at once banish flattery and defamation from the earth.

"Not lost, but gone before," exclaimed the man when his hat blew off and went ahead of him.

All a chap has to do in these days to pass for a genius is to button his coat behind and put his hat on wrong side out.

ISAIAH WHITE & CO.

DEALERS IN CHOICE FRUIT, OF ALL KINDS, Both Foreign and Domestic.

Jellies and Preserves. CANNED GOODS, &c.

100 Tremont Street, Boston, (Under Horticultural Hall.)

Sept. 1. 1f

12 New Patterns Goblets, VERY CHEAP,—at

GUY & BROTHER'S, 33 Bedford Street, Boston, Sept. 8. 1f

P. A. WALES & SONS, MANUFACTURERS OF LOG PUMPS, RANDOLPH, MASS.

ORDERS from abroad, whether given by letter or in person, will receive prompt attention; and all work done will be warranted satisfactory, and secure from action of frost.—The Pumps are put in sections, and furnished with metallic chambers, if desired. Also, Pumps made with closed heads for use in public places.

Randolph, Sept. 8. 3m

Charles F. Pettengill WOULD announce to his patrons and citizens generally, that he has

Removed to his New Store On Hancock Street. NEXT TO YEAZIE'S APOTHECARY STORE.

Where he will keep a GOOD STOCK OF WATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY, WHICH HE WILL SELL AT REDUCED PRICES.

Please call and examine. Clocks, Watches and Jewelry Repaired to order, in a workmanlike manner. Quincy, Sept. 12. 4w

DAMON Beats the World ON HIS SPECIAL LINES OF FINE GOODS.

Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots, - - \$2 50 Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots, - - 2 50

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Ladies' fine kid Boots, - - 2 50 Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots, - - 2 75

Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots, - - \$5 & 5 50 Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots, - - 3 to 4 50

Gents' best calf Boots, - - 3 to 4 50 Gents' Congress & lace Walkin' Boots, 2 50 to 4 50

Gents' Boots, - - 2 50 to 3 00

These are not Cheap Qualities, but the Best Work and Stock.

Satisfaction given if my price poor with little wear.

The subscriber's 25 years experience in buying and selling none but good fitting and good wearing BOOTS and SHOES, is in marked contrast with the ignorance and unreliability of two-thirds of the Boot and Shoe Retailers, who neither know nor care whether a shoe be good or poor, so long as the sale is made. Call and be satisfied at

DAMON'S, 25 & 28 Essex Street, BOSTON. (O. H. A.) & M. H. A. Sept. 15. 3m

LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE, 65 TEMPLE PLACE, (Established over 50 years.)

The only House in New England for

DRY CLEANSING, Ladies' and Gents' Garments of all kinds, Dye and Cleaned, whole or ripped.

Carpet, Rugs, Blankets and Woolen Goods cleaned.

Feathers dyed, cleaned and curled. Skins re-dressed at shortest notice.

Shoes and Slippers cleaned. Kid Gloves cleaned in a superior manner, with the original finish, 10 cents; dyed, 25 cents.

Best Work! Shortest Time! Lowest Prices!

Orders by Express or Mail promptly attended to.

SOLE AGENTS FOR Church's Naptha Cleansing Works,

For thoroughly cleansing from oil, grease or dirt, and destroying all insect life. Furniture, Bedding, Carpets, Rugs, and Blankets. Carpets cleaned without shrinking.

Carpets—bearing a specialty. CENTRAL OFFICE

No. 65 Temple Place, Boston. Sept. 22. 12w

Invested in Wall St. Stocks or Bonds, and sent forth monthly. Bank sent forth explaining everything. Address BAXTER & CO., Bankers, 17 Wall Street, New York. May 5—5m

Job Printing Neatly Done at this Office.

Selectmen's Meetings.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office, in the Town House, every SATURDAY, from 10 to 12 o'clock, P. M., until further notice.

Persons having business with the Town will please present it on those days.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS., JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy, March 30. 1f

State Aid.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office in the Town House, on the last MONDAY in each month, from 9 to 11 o'clock, A. M., for the purpose of paying State Aid to those Voluntary families, who are entitled to it under the provisions of the law of 1867.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS., JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy, March 10. 1f

NOTICE.

THE Assessors of the Town of Quincy give notice that they have believed to GEORGE H. JONES, Collector of Taxes, a correct list of the Taxes, together with a warrant, in due form of law, for collecting the same, and that he has a right to collect the same, and that he will be made by a vote of the town all taxes due and payable on the first day of November, 1877, a discount of four per cent. will be made. By a vote of the town all taxes due and payable on the first day of November, and the Collector is required to pay interest on all taxes not paid before December 1st, 1877.

WM. A. HODGES, Assessors of QUINCY, MASS., JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Assessors of QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy, Aug. 4. 1f

\$500 REWARD.

A REWARD of \$500 will be paid to any person who will give information sufficient to convict any person who has set fire to any building, the value of one hundred dollars, in the town of Quincy, since the 1st of March, 1876, or who has set fire to any building of not less value, between this date and March 1st, 1876.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS., JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy, March 10, 1876. 1f

\$15.00 Reward!

WHEREAS, a large number of the Street Lamps have been wantonly and maliciously broken in this town, the undersigned hereby offers a reward to any person who will furnish evidence sufficient to convict the person guilty of such offence.

For breaking glass in windows of buildings belonging to the town.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS., JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Selectmen of QUINCY, MASS.

Quincy, March 10, 1876. 1f

Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Diphtheria, Measles, &c.

Office of the Board of Health. QUINCY, FEB. 1, 1877.

THE Board of Health issues the following notice:—That on and after MONDAY, February 26th, 1877, the following provisions of Chapter 261 of the General Statutes will be strictly enforced:

Sec. 48. When a household knows that a person within his family is taken sick of any disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Board of Health of the town in which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding \$100.

Sec. 49. When a physician knows that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with any disease dangerous to the public health, and he refuses or neglects to give notice thereof to the Board of Health of the town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum not less than \$50, nor more than \$100.

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With Supplement.

SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons. Anonymous communications are not published.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT. A serious accident occurred in this town last Monday afternoon on Hancock street, to Dr. W. Lyman Faxon and wife while riding, by the unhooking of one of the reins. The horse was laid from the steam pump to the reservoir on Washington street, with a board on each side for the protection of the horse from passing carriages. The doctor's horse on crossing the hose probably gave a sudden spring and the right hand rein came unhooked which caused the horse to turn quickly around, bringing the buggy, as it upset, in contact with the fender around the large elm tree in front of J. Q. Wild's blacksmith shop. Mrs. Faxon was thrown with great force against the fender and had her hip bone broken besides being dislocated. The doctor was more fortunate having escaped with only some slight bruises.

Mrs. Faxon was placed on a mattress and conveyed to her home, where she is confined to her bed and will be obliged to remain for many weeks. The horse became frightened at the crash, and started on a run, but was secured by two young men when he had gone but a short distance.

FRUIT RAISING. One of the most successful cultivators of the soil, in this town, is Mr. Bryant N. Adams, who is destined to take high rank among the farmers of Norfolk county. At the annual exhibition of the Massachusetts Horticultural Society, held recently in Boston, he received three prizes and two gratuities. On musk melons and squash he won a first prize and on pumpkins and squashes a second prize. He was awarded gratuity on the Christiana melon and parsley he was awarded gratuity. It was our good fortune recently to try the excellent melons raised by Mr. Adams, and without exception we must say, that they were the sweetest and of the richest flavor of any we ever tasted.

HAYSTACKS. On Tuesday evening last a meeting of those old firemen interested in another parade of the "Haystacks," was held at the house of the W. M. French Hose Company. The meeting was called to order by the "First Captain" of last year, Horace S. Felts, when it was voted to procure a tub and attend the muster at Danvers, on Thursday, Oct. 11th, under the same officers as last year. It was also voted that the Clerk prepare a list for signatures of those intending to take part, and the number of signers be limited to 150, the roll to be closed this (Saturday) evening. Committees were chosen to make all necessary arrangements, and we expect to see a more successful affair than last year, if it be possible.

Buckley gives one of his character entertainments at the Town Hall on Monday evening next. He has secured the assistance of Mr. and Mrs. Shaffer, who are a whole company in themselves. Musical glasses, "banjo," etc., have been secured wherever they have performed. The character songs and sketches of Mr. Shaffer are mirth-provoking, while those of Mrs. Shaffer usually bring down the whole house. A crowded assembly is expected. Tickets are for sale at J. O. Holden's.

INDIAN RELICS. We were shown this week by Capt. Edward A. Spear, Superintendent of the Mount Wollaston Cemetery, some arrow heads and hatchet, found by the workmen while grading the lots in the Cemetery. Being found in the vicinity of "Merry Mount," where the Indians were accustomed to congregate two centuries ago, they are no doubt war implements that were buried with some noted chief, who may have passed to his long home long before the pale face trod this noted ground.

MAMBRINO DUDLEY. This fine young colt, owned by John R. Graham of this town, at the Weymouth Fair last week took the first premium for three-year-olds colts, also the first premium for stallions of all ages, and won the three-year-old trotting race. He is a dark bay, stands 15 3/4 hands high, weighs 1,675 pounds, and was bred at Woodbine Farm, Ky.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE ASSOCIATION. The first semi-annual meeting of the Association of the School Committee and Superintendents of Norfolk County will be held in Boston at the school committee's chamber on Mason street, on Friday next, at 10 o'clock A. M. Some interesting topics are proposed for discussion and it is hoped that every town in the county will be represented.

THE SAVINGS BANKS ON THE CAPE. As soon as the slightest insecurity is felt in a community as to the condition of the savings banks, there are a multitude of people who have deposits in such institutions who immediately drop their utmost to bring them into trouble. Something of this sort is being seen on the Cape, where the suspension of the Sandwich and Barnstable Savings Banks was followed by a "run" on the Hyannis Bank, which finally compelled it, out of regard to the interests of its depositors, to close its doors. This kind of thing starts in a vague impression, or an idle bit of gossip or surmise passed from one to another, and it grows so rapidly that before the depositors are aware they are bringing about the very disaster they dread, and have the melancholy satisfaction of wrecking their own interests. Sensible and sober-minded people should be above such panics. No bank, however sound or cautious or well managed, has its funds in readiness to be cashed at the instant demand of its depositors. The realizing on securities at short notice to meet such demands, involves loss as a matter of course, and there are few institutions, however strong, that could not be forced into suspension by a persistent and determined "run."—Trenton.

Local Items.

The October session of Probate Court, will be held in this town at the Court room on Wednesday next.

G. Swaine Buckley will give one of his pleasing and enjoyable entertainments at the Town Hall on Monday evening.

An entertainment in aid of the Old South, will be given at Robertson Hall, on Tuesday evening.

The ladies connected with the Universalist Society propose holding a "Harvest Festival" at the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, Oct. 17th. Full particulars will be found in our next issue.

Evell & Co., advertise a patent safety lamp, which will not explode, and which can be as easily extinguished, as turning off gas.

Diphtheria is raging to some extent in this town, and it is reported that the schools at the Point have been closed for a short time to prevent its spreading.

We were visited early on Friday morning by one of the heaviest rains of the season. It was much needed; the ground being drier than at any time during the summer.

A girl who can give references, desires a situation in a small family.

The heavy storm on Thursday night blew off a large quantity of yards, and other fruit.

The Quincy Yacht Club will have a regatta off Great Hill on Saturday afternoon next, if the weather permits.

DISTRICT COURT. The following law breakers were up for judgment since last week's issue:

Morris Kiley, 2d, of Randolph, for an assault on Wm. H. Simpson. Fined \$10 and costs.
Wm. H. Simpson of Randolph, for an assault on Ellen Simpson. Fined \$3 and costs. Committed in default of payment.
Daniel Noonan of Randolph, for being drunk. Fined \$3 and costs. Committed in default of payment.
Stephen L. Rice of Weymouth, for selling liquor. Discharged for want of evidence.

INSTALLATION. At a regular meeting of Victoria Division, No. 45, S. of T., held Wednesday evening, the following officers were installed for the ensuing quarter, by Rev. Samuel Kelley acting as D. G. W. P., and Henry Chubbuck as G. C.:

W. P.—Thomas F. Sheahan.
W. A.—Clara A. Emerson.
R. S.—Minnie E. Brown.
A. R. S.—O. Henry Owens.
F. S.—Susie A. Mann.
T.—Thomas J. Snell.
Chap.—Charles H. Hersey.
C.—Lucy A. Fry.
A. C.—William Carter.
L. S.—Emily Fry.
O. S.—Arthur G. Merritt.
P. W. P.—S. Henry Saville.

LARGE SALE OF LAND. Messrs. Wheatland & Bird, sold on Monday last at Wollaston, some of the best building lots belonging to the Wollaston Land Associates. The following are the names of the purchasers, the locality and the price paid per foot:

19 Park street, 6,000 feet, by Horace Partridge, at 43-5c.
26 Park street, 6,430 feet, by Horace Partridge, at 21-15c.
7 Park street, 6,000 feet, by Horace Partridge, at 27-10c.
16 Park street, 6,000 feet, by Horace Partridge, at 34-4c.
18 Park street, 6,000 feet, by J. W. Pratt, at 4c.
17 Park street, 6,000 feet, by J. W. Pratt, at 4c.
15 Park street, 9,002 feet, by H. D. Whitney, at 23-4c.
27 Park street, 5,850 feet, by Mrs. T. E. Ross, at 3c.
28 Park street, 5,850 feet, by Mrs. T. E. Ross, at 31-4c.
12 Winthrop avenue, 5,854 feet, by Mrs. T. E. Ross, at 21-5c.
29 Park street, 8,157 feet, by Mr. Pinkham, at 39-10c.
6 Park street, 6,000 feet, by Mr. Pinkham, at 23-4c.
5 Park street, 7,582 feet, by William Fletcher, at 3c.
9 Grand View avenue, 8,880 feet, by E. S. Sparrow, at 23-4c.
13 Lincoln avenue, 5,625 feet, by Wm. H. McNeil, at 4c.
Lot 8, Block F, Section 6, 5,618 feet, by Wm. H. McNeil, at 21-2c.
Lot 7, Block F, Section 6, 5,984 feet, by Moses Fairbanks, at 23-8c.

CLAM CHOWDER. The Hook and Ladder company of this town, held their regular monthly meeting at their hall, last Monday evening, and the first supper of the season was enjoyed on this occasion. The chowder was excellent and had the genuine seashore flavor. The company will please accept our thanks for their kind remembrance.

MILTON. A man named Patrick Lafey, about thirty years of age, while getting off a freight train, at Milton Lower Mills, on Monday evening, slipped and fell beneath the cars, one of which passed over him and killed him instantly. He has been employed the past summer in Milton. Medical Examiner Morison of this town, delivered the body to Lafey's friends, and an inquest before Judge Bumpus was held.

A farmer woman in Canada last fall plowed seventeen acres of land. This season she mowed with a scythe for six days, raked ten acres of hay and broke a three-year-old colt to harness. She hauled all the lime and sand for a new house, loaded and unloaded all the hay and grain grown on the farm this year, and did her housework and milked seven cows besides.

Dr. Marriall of Fall River has secured the edition of the Bible in the Hebrew and Greek text published in Antwerp, in 1570, by the printer Caxton. The edition is of exceeding rarity, and is probably the only copy of this early issue now in the United States.

The Fireman's Parade.

Saturday last was a day long to be remembered by the Firemen of our town, it being the occasion of a review and parade of the Quincy Fire Department, the first since 1872, when Chief Engineer Hall successfully inaugurated the design of an annual parade and exhibition of the material of which the Department is made. Why it has been discontinued, we are unable to state, but we trust that the success which Chief Engineer Spear experienced on Saturday, will create a desire on the part of both the firemen and citizens, for its annual occurrence.

The several companies were early on hand and with full ranks; the line was formed in front of the Town Hall, in the following order:

Engineers of Q. F. Department, Randolph Club Band.
W. M. French Hose Company No. 1, James E. Maxim, Foreman.
Carriages containing the Selectmen, past Chief Engineers of Quincy, and the Guests of Hose Co. No. 1.
Hingham Band.
Tiger Engine Company No. 2, Joseph W. Hayden, Foreman.
Belknap Band.
Granite Engine Company No. 3, John H. Ryan, Foreman.
Brantree Band.
Vulture Engine Company No. 4, Charles F. Lapham, Foreman.
L. W. Lovell Chemical Engine No. 1, John M. Call, Foreman.

Relief Hose Carriage drawn by a Horse. The column was reviewed by the Engineers, ex-Chief Engineers and Selectmen, and then it started over the route announced in last Saturday's Patriot.

On arriving in the Square, the Hose Company ran off 1450 feet of hose, from the steam pump to the reservoir, which was kept full during the playing.

The order of playing was determined by drawing of lots, which resulted as follows:—Granite, first; Tiger, second; Vulture, third. The conditions of the trial were that each tub should play through 250 feet of hose; each engine being allowed twenty minutes to lay hose, draft and play. The result of the playing was as follows:—

Tiger Engine, 191 feet 54 inches.
Vulture Engine, 190 feet 54 inches.
Granite Engine, 164 feet 44 inches.

On the completion of the trial of the engines, a small ten foot building, filled with combustible materials, saturated with kerosene oil, was set on fire, in front of C. F. Pierce's store, and suffered to get well under way, for the purpose of testing the Chemical Engine, whose stream when turned on it, almost instantly quenched the fire, and the little "soda fountain," as it has been called, may now take its rank as one of the most effective pieces of fire apparatus in the town.

The fire companies looked well, played well, and behaved well. A more orderly body of men could not be desired. After the trial, in which the Tiger came out the champion, they retired to the engine houses, where nice suppers were prepared for them.

The bands on this occasion were numerous, and the music excellent. An immense gathering collected in the Square, composed not only of our town's people, but those from adjoining villages and towns, and it was no doubt gratifying to the Engineers to see everything pass off so pleasantly. The steam pump, loaned to Mr. Pierce, was used in the water for the occasion in its usual quiet manner, and maintained the high reputation it has always held with our citizens.

For the Patriot.

West Quincy Items.

The new stable which Messrs. Doble & Son have erected near their store, is an excellent one. It is their intention to carry on a first-class livery stable, and no doubt it will be a success. The weather vane on the building is surmounted by a handsome gilded horse. The carpenters are busily at work erecting a large dwelling house, on Cemetery street, for Mr. Charles L. Badger. The grocers in this place have adopted the system of the business men in the center part of the town, in closing their store evenings.

The Granite Engine Company has voted to hold its annual ball, in the Town Hall, on Thanksgiving Eve. The sidewalks and streets have been undergoing repairs the past few weeks. Mr. P. F. Lacy has added another polishing machine to his works, as it was impossible to do the work he received, with one.

Our enterprising pharmacist, Mr. Charles T. Cole, is doing a thriving business, and is highly pleased with the patronage which the residents have bestowed upon him. Being a careful compounder of medicine, and always gentlemanly and obliging in his manners, he has no doubt on the road to prosperity.

REPORTER.

Sunday Services.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:50 by Rev. R. P. Stebbins, D. D.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mrs. N. J. Whitcomb, at 2:30 p. m., at Temperance hall at 2:30 p. m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH at Wollaston. Services at 10:45 A. M., and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the Pastor. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M.

ATLANTIC MISSION. Preaching at 1:30 by Rev. Chas. F. Rice. Sabbath School at 2:30 P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Preaching services at 10:30 A. M., conducted by the Pastor. Sunday School immediately following.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:15 A. M., followed by Sacrament and Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Preaching at 7 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 11:45 A. M. Concert of Prayer for Mission at 7:30 P. M.

Prayer and Conference meeting Friday evening.

CHRIST CHURCH. Service to-morrow at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Summary of News.

Diphtheria is so prevalent at Palmer, Mass., that several of the public schools have been closed. One physician has thirteen cases.

Mr. Hayes was the first President since Washington to visit Georgia.

It is stated that the United States Government still owns one-fifth part of all the land in the State of Alabama.

Postmaster-General Key started in life as a school teacher at \$15 a month.

Marshal McMahon's salary as President of the French Republic is \$180,000.

Miss Field, a very accomplished lady of Philadelphia, died at Bethlehem, N. H., on Saturday, after an illness of several weeks. Her approaching marriage to His Excellency Governor Rice was but recently the cause of congratulation.

There are over 800 Chinese laundries in New York city, giving employment to about 4,000 persons.

Three counties of California have women school superintendents.

Hon. Smith Wright of Vermont goes strong on poultry. He is now breeding for market 3,500 geese, 2,800 turkeys and 1,400 ducks.

Chicago has 2700 liquor saloons.

Call at Evell & Co's, and see the Marvelous Safety Lamp and Surprise Burner. Also some new style brackets, and pretty flower-pots.

Boards Wanted.

GOOD BOARD can be obtained at a reasonable price within three minutes' walk of the Centre Depot. Apply at this Office, Quincy, Oct. 6.

WANTED.

25 BUSHELS of Small Potatoes. CHAS. E. PERLEY. Wollaston, Sept. 29.

LOST.

IN Wollaston or Quincy, ONYX WATCH SEAL, Gold Setting. The finder will be liberally rewarded by returning the same to THIS OFFICE. Quincy, Oct. 6.

Situation Wanted!

By a competent girl, to do cooking in a small family, or to do general housework. Good references required. Address, M. J. K., West Quincy, Quincy, Oct. 6.

TO LET.

HOUSE on South Street, belonging to Joseph Halston. Enquire of C. B. WHITON, Quincy, Oct. 6.

The Cigar Counter

WILSON'S MARKET, WILL BE OPEN EVERY EVENING.

(Sundays Excepted.) Until 9 o'clock.

C. B. WILSON. Quincy, Oct. 6.

DANCING SCHOOL.

B. WATSON. WOULD announce to his friends and the public, that he will be at FRANKLIN HALL on

Tuesday Evening, Oct. 9th, to make arrangements with those who desire to attend his DANCING SCHOOL.

Quincy, Oct. 6.

Notice to Voters!

THE attention of the VOTERS of the TOWN OF QUINCY, is called to the

ACT OF THE GENERAL COURT, PASSED AT THE SESSION OF 1877, Chap. 208, Regarding the Registration of Voters.

By this act, all Voters are required to be REGISTERED before their names can be added to the VOTING LIST; and no name can be added to the list.

AFTER THE POLLS ARE OPENED. The Selectmen will be in session day and evening during the coming week for the purpose of adding names to the Registry.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectman. ENGLISH'S STORE, Quincy. JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy. Quincy, Oct. 6, 1877.

QUINCY MARKET.

MR. H. B. BROWN. TAKES this method to inform the inhabitants of Quincy and vicinity that he has opened

Store Opposite the Hotel, ON GRANITE STREET, —AS A—

First-Class Market.

In addition to a FULL STOCK of the first quality of MEATS, he will also have a full supply of all kinds of GAME in their season; VEGETABLES, OYSTERS, PICKLES (hot or cold), CIGARS, PAISLEY Y.

BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, AND EGGS. Also, A Full Assortment of FRUITS, Foreign, Domestic and Canned.

JELLIES AND SAUCES; ALL AT BOSTON PRICES, FOR CASH.

MR. MARTIN PROCTOR, of Boston, having had 15 years experience in Boston markets, will have charge of the MEAT DEPARTMENT.

Patrons desiring to call for their orders either in the morning, or late afternoon, by expressing their choice will be accommodated. By strict attention and courtesy to all, we hope to merit and receive a share of your patronage. Quincy, Oct. 6.

ROCKWELL & CHURCHILL, 29 ARCH ST., BOSTON, MASS., PRINTERS OF EVERYTHING.

BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, CATALOGUES, AND

MERCANTILE WORK OF ALL KINDS. 1m

Quincy, Oct. 6.

Town Hall...Quincy.

MONDAY EVENING, October 8th, 1877.

G. Swaine Buckley

Begs leave to announce (owing to the urgent request of many friends,) a repetition of HIS NEW AND ORIGINAL

Character Entertainment, Assisted by the following extraordinary talent: MRS. SHAEFER, Vocalist and Instrumentalist.

OSCAR SHAEFER, the Great Comique. W. J. HAYDEN, Vocalist and Instrumentalist. An EFFICIENT ORCHESTRA, under the leadership of Mr. GEORGE MOSK.

Reduced Prices.—Tickets 25 Cents. Reserved Seats, 35 Cents. Tickets for sale at John O. Holden's Jewelry Store, and at the door.—Doors open at 7:14. Performance at 8. Quincy, Oct. 6.

AMATEUR ENTERTAINMENT.

IN AID OF THE "OLD SOUTH," WILL BE GIVEN AT

Robertson Hall, Tuesday Evening, Oct. 9th, CONSISTING OF

Tableaux, Readings, MUSIC, &c.

Several popular Vocalists have kindly volunteered their services, among them Mr. M. D. BABCOCK, of Cambridge.

Tickets now ready at John O. Holden's. Doors open at 6:45. Entertainment to commence promptly at 7:30. Quincy, Oct. 6.

By JOSEPH W. LOMBARD, AUCTIONEER. Robertson's Block, Quincy.

Furniture at Auction.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on FRIDAY, October 12th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., At the residence of JOHN H. TUCKER, on

ALL of his HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Chamber Sets, Bedsteads, Mattresses, Lounges, Woven Carpets, Tables, Chairs, Bureaus, Parlor and Cook Stoves, Looking Glasses, Crockery and Glass Ware, and many other articles.

The Auctioneer has also for sale a dozen Carriages of various kinds. Quincy, Oct. 6.

Can't Stand It!

I HAVE found, by a few evenings' trial, that it is inconvenient to the many patrons of

Lombard's Clothing Store, to have to close at the early hours recently advertised by the storekeepers of Quincy, and therefore shall feel it my duty to keep open every evening on and after this date, to such an hour as may suit my patrons.

JOS. W. LOMBARD. Quincy, Oct. 6.

OPENED THIS DAY,

A FULL LINE OF FALL AND WINTER

GOODS, AT PRICES THAT

Defy Competition!!

Extra Inducements

To Cash Buyers!!

AT

FRANK A. SPEAR'S,

86 Hancock Street. Quincy, Oct. 6.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have taken the Store on Hancock Street, formerly occupied by Charles F. Pierce, where they will keep a CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Cook Stoves, Ranges, Parlor and Office Stoves. Including the celebrated STEWART STOVES.

Also, A full assortment of TIN WARE and KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS.

Furnaces, Ranges, and Stoves REPAIRED at short notice.

Pumps set and Repaired. Old Copper, Brass, Lead, and Rags, taken in EXCHANGE for Ware.

Prices to suit the times. Terms Cash. JAMES W. PIERCE. M. B. SANBORN. Quincy, Sept. 29.

Flower Pots.

Fancy and Plain Flower Pots, VERY CHEAP. —at—

E. CLAPP'S. Quincy, Sept. 29.

By E. F. E. THAYER, AUCTIONEER. Office No. 194 Washington St., Boston.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed, given by Samuel F. Littlefield to the Quincy Savings Bank, dated Jan. 10, 1874, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 430, fol. 224, and for breach of the conditions said mortgage, will be sold at Public Auction on the premises therein described, on TUESDAY, Oct. 30th, 1877, at three o'clock P. M.

All and singular the premises covered by said mortgage deed, viz:—A certain lot of land with all the buildings and improvements thereon, situated in said Milton, in that place called "Granite Place," in the Railway Village, and bounded and described as follows, viz:—Beginning at a stone bound on Granite Place, and running in a nearly northerly direction along said Granite Place eighty-two and one-half (82 1/2) feet; then turning at nearly a right angle, and running in a nearly westerly direction along the land of Susan Thayer Adams one hundred and seventy-two (172) feet; then turning at a right angle and running in a nearly southeasterly direction, partly on land aforesaid of this grantor, and others, and partly along a line of heirs of Josiah Adams one hundred and eighty-four (184) feet to the point of beginning. Being the same premises conveyed to me by Henry W. Littlefield and others, by deed dated March 14, 1871, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, Lib. 404, fol. 175, and also by deed of Susan Thayer Adams in her right, wife of George H. Adams, by deed dated January 5, 1874, recorded herewith.

Terms at sale. THE QUINCY SAVINGS BANK, Mortgagee. Quincy, Oct. 6.

MILLINERY.

S. H. HUSSEY. INVITES attention to the Desirable Assortment of NEW GOODS, just received.

ALL THE NEW SHAPES IN Hats, Bonnets and Frames, to which will be added Fresh Selections, and a Large Variety in

Flowers, Feathers, Velvets, SATINS, SILKS, RIBBONS, &c.

WILL BE FOUND TO SELECT FROM. Grateful for past favors, a continuance of patronage is desired.

All orders satisfactorily executed. Opposite Hotel, Hancock Street. Quincy, Oct. 6.

Patent Safety Lamp

—AND— SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWELVE HUNDRED and FIFTY lives, and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by using lamps which will burn, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

THIS ENTIRE SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND PROPERTY CAN POSITIVELY BE PREVENTED BY THE USE OF THE

Patent Safety Lamps —AND— SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot explode if dropped! Cannot be lighted if overturned! Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguishing as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY W. W. EWELL & CO. Quincy, Oct. 6.

DRESS GOODS.

RECEIVED EVERY WEEK, —AND— Sold at Lowest Prices, By E. CLAPP. Quincy, Oct. 6.

LOST.

ON Saturday, September 23d, a DARK BAY FILLY 3 years old, who will return the same to the subscriber will be suitably rewarded. JOHN R. GRAHAM. Quincy, Sept. 29.

NOTICE.

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 1877.

A Very Little in Bank.

Among the subscribers to Audubon's magnificent work on ornithology was John Jacob Astor. He was always ready to encourage such works and put his name down upon Mr. Audubon's book for one thousand dollars. During the progress of the work, which proved more expensive than had been at first anticipated, Mr. Audubon often found himself obliged to call upon his generous patrons for assistance; but he did not call upon Mr. Astor until the letter-press and the plates had been delivered. When the final delivery had been made, however, he called upon the great merchant for his thousand dollars.

"Ah, Mr. Audubon," said the owner of millions, "you have come in a very bad time. Money is scarce and hard, and I have everything snugly and tightly invested."

And so the ornithologist called, time after time, and was put off. It was not because Mr. Astor did not wish to pay, but it was from that strong desire, growing stronger with his years, to keep his property intact, and see it increased. When he had paid away a thousand dollars for a really benevolent purpose he felt good, as a man feels good who has got rid of an aching tooth. It was only the wrenching away of the money that hurt him.

At length Audubon called the sixth time. Mr. Astor had commenced to bet on the low condition of his cash in hand, when he caught a disapproving look from his son William, who happened to be present.

"But," said the old man, after a pause, "I suppose you want your money, and, really, I should like to let you have it. I may have a very little in bank—William, have we any money in bank?"

Evidently John Jacob had expected his son to answer only a simple yes; and it may be that William B. thought his father wished to know something of the bank account. At any rate he was just fresh from the cash-on-hand page of the ledger, and he answered:

"Yes—we have a little over a hundred thousand in the Bank of New York; eighty thousand in the City Bank; ninety thousand in the Merchants; ninety-eight thousand four hundred in—"

"That'll do, William! That'll do! I guess. Mr. Audubon, William can give you a check for the money."

Old Time Wages for Housework.

An elderly lady was relating the other day in our hearing her experience in going out to do housework in her younger days. She engaged with a lady in Columbia to do general housework, no price being agreed upon, and entered upon her duties at once. About the first thing to be done outside the regular housework was to make soap—having assistance in putting up the leach; the rest of the work to make a barrel of soap she performed herself. Killing hogs came next in order, she trying the lard, taking care of the skins, and helping to make sausages. Then came the butchering of beef, the tripe of which of course must be saved, and this she was required to dress alone. She spun the warp for thirty yards of all-wool carpet, and in the meantime the lady was sick and she attended as nurse, and did the washing, cooking and for the family. At the end of four weeks she was to return home and her bill was called for. Now, gentle reader, what do you think she charged for doing the amount of work narrated as above? The first week twenty-five cents, the second eighty-three cents, and the last weeks one dollar each, making \$3.58 for four weeks' service. The lady thought the price decidedly high, and she threw off twenty-five cents, leaving \$3.33 for four of the hardest weeks' work ever put upon a woman to perform, and yet she never struck for higher wages, but served her true faithfully, and is to-day a hale, hearty old lady, approaching her four-score years, able to do her own housework and lend a helping-hand to a neighbor in need, or wherever duty calls.—*Williamette (Conn.) Journal.*

"You see, my dear," he explained, "the man was climbing the ladder with a hodful of mortar on his shoulder. Just as I passed under it he made a misstep, and the whole contents of the hod came down on my head."

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A Small Variety.

The woman who sat down on a cactus at a picnic last summer, was one of the party at the picnic to-day; and another female, who got so badly bitten by woodticks last summer that she took her solemn oath that she would never go to another picnic the longest day she lived, nearly fractured her leg in trying to crowd into the first wagon that started for the grounds this morning. Time is a great healer.

Should the eye or any other part be blackened by a fall or blow, apply a cloth wrung out of very warm water, and renew it till the pain ceases. The moisture and heat liquefy the blood and send it back to its proper channel. Never use cold water to a bruise.

It was very careless leaving the parrot in the parlor Sunday evening, but she never thought anything about it until Monday morning, when he roused the whole house by making a smacking noise and crying. "Darling Susie, darling Susie." He kept it up all day, too, and the old folks are much interested in the case.

A young mother explaining christening to her five-year-old boy told him that when he was christened he "would be one of God's little lambs." "And will I have hind legs and baa?" eagerly asked the boy.—*Wilmington Evening.*

London is on the whole the healthiest capital in the world, its annual average mortality not exceeding twenty-four per 1000, but in some districts the mortality varies from forty to sixty per 1000, the increase being the result of filth, foul air and crowding. The population increases at the rate of 40,000 a year.

"Pull out, Bill!" shrieked an engineer's son to a playmate, a brakeman's boy, who was in imminent danger of getting smashed by his mother, who was coming after him. "Git on the main line and give her steam! Here comes the switch engine!" But before the juvenile could get in motion she had him by the ear, and he was laid up with a hot box.

If you wish to dispatch household matters, remember that one hour in the morning is worth two in the afternoon. Also have in mind an outline of each day's work and duties to begin with, and you will waste no time in deciding what to do first or next, or in bad management.

An ingenious girl in the West District who has never had a "fellar" in the world, goads up the girls in that neighborhood to madness, by lighting up the parlor brilliantly, and then setting her father's hat where its shadow will be boldly marked against the curtain.

I think I can avenge a man's karakter pretty clusly bi the dog that follows him, if the dog iz a bully the master iz a coward.—*Josh. Billings.*

A Kentucky editor remarks that ninety-nine out of a hundred people make a great mistake, when they cut off a dog's tail, in throwing away the wrong end.

"It is not loud praying" says an Arkansas circuit rider, "which counts with the Lord as much as giving four full quarts to the galleen."

YOU CAN FIND

The Largest Stock,

The Best Goods,

— AND —

THE LOWEST PRICES

— FOR —

BOOTS AND SHOES,

IN QUINCY.

At No. 90 Hancock Street.

We have no shop-worn Shoddy Stock to advertise prices on, but will show you a

Clean Fresh Stock,

in regular sizes, at prices that will please you. Give us a call, examine our goods, and judge for yourselves.

GEORGE SAVILLE.

90 Hancock Street.

Quincy, June 30.

tf

Fooing the Old Man.

There were two of them hanging over the front gate the other night. She was standing within the yard and he on the sidewalk, both leaning on the top rail, and apparently as happy as two pigs in a cornfield. He was saying, "Now my own little darling, sweet idol of my soul whose image is ever on my heart"—when he saw the old man coming down the front walk, and continued in a different strain. "The potato bugs haven't destroyed our crops so much since we purchased Paris green, and you will also find that cabbages can be raised better on a richer soil." The old gentleman heard it, and turned back, saying as he entered the house, "These young people take more interest in agricultural affairs than people generally suppose."

Window Glass.

There are seventy establishments in the United States devoted to the production of window-glass. Twenty-seven of these are in New Jersey; the others are scattered through New England, New York, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Ohio and elsewhere in the West. The capital invested in the industry is about \$6,000,000 in New Jersey alone, while the annual production of that State is between 2,000,000 and 3,000,000 boxes of the various qualities and sizes of glass. The window-glass manufacturing interest is now one of the principal industries of this country, and is destined to check the importation of glass to America; in fact, many of the American manufacturers are now exporting large quantities of glass and glassware. It is believed that fully three-fourths of the factories are now stopped—some few in Pittsburgh are in operation. Somewhere near 25,000 men and boys are now striking, and it is not improbable that that number will be increased. The plate-glass for the San Francisco Stock Exchange is 136 inches long and 120 inches wide, and is said to be the largest glass ever imported.

65,000 members of Orange Lodges in the United States.

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Largest Stock!

— THE —

LOWEST PRICES!!

— THE —

BEST STYLES,

— OF —

BOOTS AND SHOES!

ARE TO BE FOUND AT

D. B. STETSON'S

BOOT AND SHOE STORE.

OUR GOODS ARE

ALL WARRANTED!

We will furnish you with any kind of Boots & Shoes that are kept in Boston or New York, at short notice.

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL

BOTH IN

Leather and Rubber Goods.

D. B. STETSON,

Washington Street,

QUINCY.

Sept. 25.

tf

JOHN HARDWICK & CO.

Real Estate & Insurance AGENTS.

Granite Street, Quincy.
Insurance secured in any reliable Office.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

Insurance Agency,

Established in Quincy in 1849

W. PORTER.

INSURANCE EFFECTED in reliable and safe STOCK and MUTUAL OFFICES—by
W. PORTER & CO.,
At No. 27 STATE STREET, BOSTON.
Residence, QUINCY, corner Adams and Hancock Streets
Quincy, April 26. 3m

THE QUINCY

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Cash Fund, Jan. 1st, 1877,
\$360,000.00.

Surplus over re-insurance, \$140,000 00
Gain in cash fund past year, 34,000 00
Gain in cash surplus past year, 25,000 00
Every loss has been paid in full.
None but the safer classes of hazards written.

I. W. MUNROE, President.
CHARLES A. HOWLAND, Sec'y.
Quincy, Jan. 1, 1877.

DORCHESTER.

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. O. NEPOMSET, Mass.
Ward 16, Boston, Mass.
E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.

Amount Insured by 6,834 Policies, -	\$11,192,964.00
On Real Estate, -	9,298,367.00
On Personal, -	1,894,597.00
Cash Assets.	
Real Estate (Brick and Stone Building,) -	\$24,000.00
Loaned on Mortgages, -	25,500.00
Corporation Note—Boston and Lowell R. R. -	5,000.00
National Bank Stock, -	14,536.00
Rail Road Stock, -	42,530.00
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, -	20,844.00
Policies in Course of Collection, -	11,912.26
Deposit Notes, Uncollected, -	500.00
Interest Due and earned to date, -	1,950.50
Cash on Deposit N. E. Trust Co., -	26,466.19
do. in Eliot National Bank, -	2,962.11
Furniture of Office, Halls, and Stores, -	1,600.00
	\$175,181.06
Amount of Deposit Notes available (without assessments) to pay losses, -	161,000.00
	\$339,181.06

\$75,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$239,181.06 available surplus over amount required to re-insure all our risks.
The Company continues to insure the safer class of property at current rates, and to pay Return Premiums on terminated policies at 40 per cent. on five-year policies, 25 per cent. on three years, and 15 per cent. on one year policies.
Nepomset, Feb. 12. tf

CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPY,

OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON,) IS NOW PAYING

A Dividend of 80 per cent. on seven year Policies, 60 per cent. on 5, and 50 per cent. on all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Barns and contents, on the most favorable terms.

Cash Assets, Jan. 1, 1877, - \$240,335.23
Deposit Notes, in force, - 309,058.52

Total, - \$549,393.75

Liabilities.—Unsettled claims for losses, - \$3,840.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President.

J. W. PEABODY, Sec. and Treas.

Boston Office—No. 42 Congress Street.

JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.

Quincy, Aug. 29. tf

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

OF WEYMOUTH.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND OTHER BUILDINGS

NOT EXCEPTING HAZARDOUS, and their contents, at as low rates as at any other reliable Company

Amount at Risk April 1, 1873,

\$2,035,704.00.

Cash Assets, - \$25,923.01

Deposit Notes, - 76,428.57

Total available Assets, \$102,351.58

N. L. WHITE, President.

ELIAS RICHARDS, Sec'y.

Wm. B. DUGGAN, Agent, Quincy

Weymouth, Aug. 1. ly

PAPER HANGING!!

J. W. LeGALLEE.

ALL Orders left at the store of Keating & Spear, Washington Street, or P. O. Box 425, will receive prompt attention.

Quincy, April 3. tf

IRA LITCHFIELD,

Carpenter and Builder,

PEARL STREET,

SOUTH QUINCY.

Feb. 14. "

Poster Printing, Cheap!

At the Patriot Office

J. A. GORDON, M. D.,

HANCOCK STREET,

OFFICE HOURS—From 2 to 3 and from 7 to 8 o'clock, P. M.
Quincy, May 24. tf

J. W. SMALL, M. D.,

Physician and Surgeon,

Hancock St., near National Granite Bank, QUINCY.

Chronic Diseases a Specialty.

Nov. 6. tf

JOS. UNDERWOOD, M. D.,

Homœopathic Physician,

RESIDENCE NEAR THE NEW ADAMS ACADEMY, HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

Aug. 25. tf

MARY K. GALE, M. D.,

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

Wollaston Heights.

OFFICE:—WOLLASTON HOTEL.

Office Hours—7 to 9 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M.

Quincy, March 3. ly

L. F. BUTLER, M. D.

HOMŒOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

GRANITE STREET (Cor. Hancock St.) QUINCY.

REFERENCES:—Prof. J. H. Woodbury, M.D.; Prof. David Thayer, M.D.; Prof. I. T. Talbot, M.D.

OFFICE HOURS:—8 1-2 to 10 A. M.; 1 1-2 to 3 o'clock, P. M.

Quincy, March 31. 6m

FRANCIS W. PARKER,

Superintendent of Schools.

OFFICE HOURS.

Mondays and Saturdays,

From 8 to 12 A. M.

In Office of Hon. JOHN Q. ADAMS.

Quincy, May 8. tf

WILLIAM B. RYAN,

PRACTICAL PLUMBER,

HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

(UNDER VEAZIE'S APOTHECARY STORE.)

KEEPS constantly on hand, Sheet Lead; Lead Pipe, Water Closets various kinds, Forcing and Suction Pumps, Bath Tubs, and Boilers, Wash-Bowls various patterns, Brass and Plated Cocks, &c., &c.

PUMPS OF ALL KINDS REPAIRED.

Orders from the Towns adjoining promptly attended to.

Quincy, June 10. tf

P. H. GAVIN,

PLUMBER.

Formerly with Wm. Mills & Co., Boston.

Has commenced business at

96 Hancock Street, Quincy,

(Up one flight, in Adams's Block.)

Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Post Office, will receive prompt attention.

EVERY VARIETY OF PLUMBING WORK done at lowest prices.

Quincy, Jan. 28. tf

FRANK W. WESTON,

ARCHITECT,

(Successor to Weston & Rand, late of 17 Pemberton Square, Boston.)

HAS REMOVED TO OFFICES IN THE

Richardson Building,

178 Devonshire Street and 33 Federal Street.

Boston, April 15. tf

J. E. STARBUCK,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND

SURVEYOR,

Corner of Hancock and Granite Streets,

QUINCY.

SURVEYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

including the

Laying out of Public and Private Grounds,

The Furnishing of Estimates of all kinds of Grading,

The Measurement of Mechanics' Work, &c.,

DONE PROMPTLY and at MODERATE CHARGES.

Quincy, June 17. 3m

WHITMAN & BRECK,

Civil Engineers & Surveyors

CORNER OF

DEVONSHIRE & WATER STREETS,

BOSTON.

Entrance 85 Devonshire and 16 Water Streets.)

Particular attention paid to Land Surveying, laying out private grounds, and the general improvement of Real Estate. Plans and working drawings of public and private buildings carefully prepared.

H. T. WHITMAN, C. E. C. BRECK,

Dec. 14. April 15

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SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 1877.

The total number of vessels driven ashore last year was 120, having on board 1253 persons. Of the latter 1214 were saved and 39 lost. The Life Saving Service was used upon fifty of the above occasions, and 838 persons were rescued by it. \$1,554,505 was also saved out of a total of \$3,095,331.

More than 60,000 pounds of beef butter made from beef fat is weekly consigned from Philadelphia to one London firm of provision merchants, and it is only a short time since an order for 4,500,000 pounds was equally divided between a New York and a Philadelphia firm.

A cheese that will weigh, when cured, over a thousand pounds was made a few days since at Barre Central Factory. Over 9200 pounds of milk was used in its manufacture. The present appearance of the cheese indicates that it will be a perfect success. It was manufactured for parties in Providence, R. I., but will be retained till after the cattle show.

TURN TO THE LEFT. A trial in the Superior Court at Greenfield, recently, brought out one of the provisions of the State law which all drivers are not acquainted with, and that is that a team passing another along in the same direction must turn to the left.

A firm in Treves, Germany, manufactures a compressed fuel of refuse tan just as it is taken from the pits. The tan is saturated with coal tar and powerfully compressed into bricks. The manufacture is said to be very profitable.

No American has ever had such a mausoleum to protect his ashes and preserve his memory, as that now being erected by the widow A. T. Stewart. It is a magnificent cathedral, located in Garden City, Long Island.

The absolute net loss to Chicago by reason of the late riots, is estimated at \$1,250,000, or an average of \$2.50 per head of the entire population of the city. In addition to this, there was a loss nearly as heavy by the stoppage of wages and of manufacturing.

The school committee of New Bedford have appropriated \$250 for copies of the *Nursery* to be used in the Primary schools of that city.

Not a dollar of the real estate in Worcester for any one of the three years 1874, '75, and '76 remains unpaid at the present time. The highest individual tax is paid by Stephen Salisbury, and amounts to \$16,295.

The error in the time of the great clock at Westminster, London, amounts to only four seconds in the year. Probably there is no other clock in the world of which this can be truthfully said. The weight of the pendulum is 680 pounds.

The contraction of the currency of the United States since 1875 has been enormous. On the 20th of June of that year there was currency outstanding \$2,003,356,679 25, not counting nearly \$100,000,000, including gold, greenbacks, national bank-notes and fractional currency.

The longest drought that ever occurred in America was in the summer of 1762. No rain fell from the first of May to the first of September, making 123 days without rain. Many of the inhabitants sent to England for hay and grain.

The number of miles of railroad on which the strike produced an entire stoppage of traffic was 11,242, and the gross receipts lost by the railroads during the suspension of business are estimated at \$15,000,000.

New York's richest millionaires are rated as follows:—William H. Vanderbilt, \$75,000,000; John Jacob Astor, \$60,000,000; Wm. Astor, \$30,000,000; Peter Goelet (estate) \$25,000,000; Russell Sage, \$12,000,000; Moses Taylor, Judge Hilton, Frederick Stevens, and Catherine Wolfe, each, \$10,000,000.

Probably the only coffee tree in New England is one growing on Eagle Island at Newburyport, Mass., which sprang from coffee smuggled during the time of the embargo. The tree bears, but the berries do not ripen, and have very little of the coffee taste.

Summary of News.

The number of postage stamps, stamped envelopes and newspaper wrappers issued by the Post Office Department during the year ending June 30, was 1,060,352,909, the value of which was \$26,525,836.

There is a well in Wise county, Texas, 110 feet deep, which ordinarily has an abundant supply of water at all seasons of the year, but from which, when the wind blows twelve hours from the north, no water can be drawn.

A farmer in East Taunton has ten acres of pop-corn under cultivation.

There are now in Philadelphia 450 co-operative and building loan associations, in which working-men have nearly \$70,000,000 invested.

During the past year the United States sold 105,000,000 yards of cotton goods abroad, ten times more than was exported the year before.

There are said to be 300,000 barmaids in Great Britain.

The manager of a Boston lecture bureau says that he has paid Carl Schurz at the rate of twelve hundred dollars a week for lectures, and the committee were glad to get him at that price.

The first deacon chosen by the Pilgrim Fathers was named Blossom.

The wheat-crop of Iowa this year is estimated to be worth \$37,000,000, and the yield of pork \$30,000,000, which, if equally distributed, would allow each family in the State \$1000.

The tonnage on the canals in N. Y. during August shows a gain over the previous August of 146,600 tons. The grain shipment for the season thus far is 312,000 tons.

The forests of North Carolina produce twenty-two species of oak, eight of pine, nine of spruce, seven of magnolia, eight of hickory, and five each of elm and birch.

In England it has proven by a series of careful examinations that country boys of fourteen years average an inch and a quarter more in height and seven pounds more in weight than city boys of the same age.

The Worcester North Agricultural Society of Mass. is to encourage a new branch of agriculture by offering \$300 in premiums for brass bands.

Two million acres of cultivated land hardly suffice to produce the grain consumed in New York breweries yearly.

The Pope has nearly finished the "Memoirs" on which he has been working for more than forty years. He has provided, however, that they are not to be published until ten years after he dies.

The editor of the *Cynthiana* (Ky.) Democrat exhibits with pride a quilt of worsted patchwork made by himself when 14 years old. It contains 12,000 pieces, and has taken four premiums at fairs.

A self-raking reaper gathered in 23 rattle-snakes, 19 garter-snakes, and one blue racer in cutting a small field of oats in New Carlisle, Ind.

Sanford, Huntington, Crocker and Hopkins, the four principal owners of the Central Pacific Railroad have an income of at least \$6,000,000 a year.

Good News! Good News!!

THE BEST RANGE

Ever Offered to the Public!!

Over One Hundred in use

In Quincy and Braintree,

And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.

Call and see them, at

CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.

Quincy, Jan. 29.

H. FRENCH, JR.,

House and Sign Painter,

IN EVERY VARIETY.

Washington Street, Quincy.

Feb. 10.

CHEAP!

HOSIERY AND GLOVES,

AT

E. CLAPP'S,

65 HANCOCK STREET.

Quincy, June 24.

Sportsmen Attention!

Mr. G. A. BADGER

HAVING recently returned from Florida, will resume his old business of MAKING and REPAIRING of

Guns, Pistols, Cutlery,

and almost any kind of light Mechanical Work. Special attention to Boring of Guns to make them shoot well,—at

BADGER BROTHERS',

Quincy, Aug. 4.

Virginia has an interesting family by the name of Fortune, two of whom are already in prison, while four more have just been sentenced for horse-stealing. Of these four three are women.

A Rhode Island woman who died recently expressed a dying wish that she should not be buried or placed in a tomb. Her husband consequently built a stone cottage on the shore of the bay, exactly like an ordinary dwelling externally, in the cellar of which her body is kept. The building has but one room, which is fitted up with the furniture they had in their parlor when first married, and the surviving members of the family now spend an hour or so there in devotion each Sunday.

An ice machine in Dallas, Texas, just finished, produces ice cakes thirty feet long and six feet wide, weighing from 10,000 to 12,000 pounds each. They are formed by freezing fine rain or spray. The works cost \$30,000.

Five lines of railroad furnished 77,000 men in the recent strike, or about one-half of the whole number. The persons thrown out of employment by the strike were perhaps five times as many as the strikers.

The famous cypress of Soma, in Lombardy, is said to be the oldest tree in the world. A regular chronicle is kept of its career, and it was a tree growing when Christ was born, nearly 1900 years ago!

A grocer in Washington advertises that he has "whiskey for sale that has been drunk by all the Presidents from General Jackson down to the present time."

You can always tell when a woman is learning to drive a horse, because she sits on the extreme end of the seat, and leans forward as though she feared a disastrous pitching out behind.

REMOVAL!!

MISS M. J. BELLEW,

Would announce to her friends and patrons, that she has taken a Room in

ROBERTSON'S HOTEL,

HANCOCK STREET,

Where she is prepared to attend to

Hair Dressing & Shampooing,

as heretofore.

Also, MILLINERY WORK done to order.

Quincy, June 16.

DENTISTRY.

Teeth \$10 a Set on Rubber.

Repairing, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

All work warranted. Work done at the house of patient if desired.

C. B. UNDERWOOD, DENTIST.

Post Office Box 708.

Quincy, Mass., June 16.

GREAT STRIKE!

ANTIQUE POTTERY

EXHUMED!!

By DR. SCHLIEMANN AND OTHERS.

CALL AND SEE.

E. CLAPP,

Quincy, Aug. 13.

QUINCY DYE-HOUSE,

— AND —

STEAM LAUNDRY.

HAVING fitted up a Dye-House in connection with the Laundry, we wish to give notice that we are ready to do all kinds of DYEING in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and at as reasonable prices as at any other Dye-House in the State! Cleansing of all kinds done at short notice.

FAMILY WASHING, at 75 cts. per dozen. P. S. Having bought out the business formerly carried on by William H. Baxter, we feel justified in stating that we are ready to do LAUNDRYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, in a style equal to work done in TROY.

We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of the public patronage.

Order Box at E. B. Souther's Store, at the Depot, and at Wollaston Post Office.

Works in the rear of Tired & Sons' Carriage Manufactory, Hancock Street.

C. W. GEORGE, Proprietor.

Quincy, Feb. 13.

HEAD QUARTERS FOR

Gents' Furnishing Goods:

LARGE STOCK;

NEW STYLES;

FINE GOODS;

AND LOW PRICES.

GEORGE SAVILLE,

Quincy, June 30.

FREDERICK & FIELD, GRANITE DEALERS

AND CONTRACTORS FOR

Granite Fronts, Monuments,

— AND —

CEMETERY WORK.

All kinds of Granite furnished. Quincy, Aug. 4.

WINSLOW'S

Quincy & Boston

Railroad Express.

(Formerly Ford's Express.)

BOSTON OFFICES — 34 Court Square, 501-2

Kilby Street, and at 77 Bedford Street

ORDER BOX, at 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

ORDER BOXES — At E. B. Souther's and at the Depot, Quincy.

Leave Quincy at 8.00 and 1 o'clock. Boston

11 and 4.00 o'clock.

Quincy, Jan. 6, 1877.

PETER McCONARTY'S

Quincy & Boston Express.

Office in Boston, No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

Order Boxes in Quincy, at the Stores of Dan-

Baxter & Co., H. W. Gray, and Ewell & Co.

Leave Quincy at 9 A. M. Leave Boston at

2 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

All orders promptly attended to.

Quincy, Jan. 13.

FRENCH'S

LIVERY STABLE,

(FIRST-CLASS.)

WASHINGTON STREET,

QUINCY.

ELEGANT VEHICLES and FINE HORSES furnished at the most reasonable rates.

Hacks, with careful drivers, supplied at short notice.

Boarding Horses, by the week, a specialty.

Stabling for Horses, with careful grooms.

WASHINGTON M. FRENCH.

Quincy, October 25.

JOHN CURLEY,

HORSE SHOER,

AND JOBBER.

Particular attention given to Shoeing

tender-footed and interfering Horses.

Granite Street, Quincy.

Near Chubbuck's Store.

Quincy, Sept. 4.

Quincy Bakery.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Quincy and adjoining towns that he will continue to manufacture at his establishment

Bread, Cake, and Pastry,

and all other articles usually found in any Bakery. Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of

Plain and Fancy Crackers.

GINGER SNAPS, &c.

Hot Rolls every Evening.

WEDDING CAKE furnished to order at Boston

prices. CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR for sale at low-

est cash prices.

WM. A. HODGES.

Quincy, Jan. 21.

Funeral and Furnishing

UNDERTAKER.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he is fully prepared to execute all orders in the Furnishing Undertaker's business, at his establishment,

No. 51 Hancock Street.

Constantly on hand, a FULL ASSORTMENT of

CASKETS, COFFINS,

Robes and Habits.

Having had several years experience in the Undertaking business, the subscriber hopes by strict attention to the wants of all callers to merit a share of patronage.

JOHN HALL.

Quincy, March 10.

NEW GOODS.

GEORGE SAVILLE,

90 Hancock Street,

Is daily adding to his Stock a FULL LINE of

Goods in his different departments,

CONSISTING OF

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers,

HATS AND CAPS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

JEWELRY,

Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags

And Umbrellas.

All of which he is selling at prices to corre-

spond with the times.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

GEO. SAVILLE.

Quincy, Sept. 16.

SOMERSET COAL COMPANY,

GRANITE STREET,

(Near Robertson's Block.)

QUINCY.

Coal and Wood,

AT THE LOWEST PRICES!

The Company is prepared to furnish the best quality of

LACKAWANNA,

CUMBERLAND,

LEHIGH,

— AND —

Lyken's Valley Franklin Coal,

IN SMALL OR LARGE QUANTITIES,

delivered promptly to order.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

AND KINDLINGS,

furnished in quantities to suit customers.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance.

Office open on Saturday Evenings until 8 o'clock; other evenings until 6.

OWEN ADAMS, Agent.

Quincy, June 23.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber would hereby give notice that he has purchased the business heretofore carried on by GREENVILLE BROOKS, and will continue the same at the Old Stand, where all orders for

COAL,

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

And Split Kindlings,

CAN BE LEFT.

Also, orders left at G. F. Wilson's, Whitney & Nash's, or with Mr. Charles Ford, will receive prompt attention.

D. HOWARD BILLS.

Quincy, June 9.

CYRUS PATCH,

DEALER IN

FRANKLIN COAL,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY.

LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA,

And Best Quality of

SILKMOCKLY COAL.

— ALSO —

CUMBERLAND COAL,

For Blacksmiths' and Steam Purposes.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

SAWED AND SPLIT.

WHARF AT QUINCY POINT.

OFFICE, — At Keating & Spear's Furni-

ture Store, on Washington Street, where or-

ders, large and small, may be left at all hours

of the day.

Small quantities of Wood and Coal will be

kept at this Store to supply immediate demand

All orders promptly attended to.

A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH.

Quincy, May 1.

Stoves! Stoves!

THE subscriber would announce to his old friends and patrons that he has again taken the Shop on HANCOCK STREET, and is prepared to furnish

Cook, Parlor, and Office

STOVES,

OF ALL DESIRABLE MAKES AND PATTERNS,

AT SHORT NOTICE.

THE WINTHROP

Cook and Parlor Stoves,

Kept constantly on hand.

They are of a New Pattern and very desirable.

Also, TIN WARE, and

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41ST VOLUME.

Abigail Adams.

[From a series of sketches entitled "Ladies of the White House," published in the Chicago Ledger.]

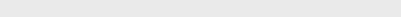
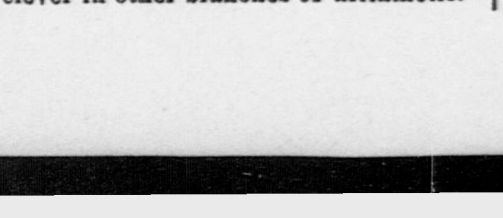
ABIGAIL ADAMS was the daughter and grand daughter of clergymen; and her marriage, at the age of 20, with John Adams, who raised her to the proudest height the country knows, was considered not at all a flattering one at the time. She found great happiness, nevertheless, during the ten years that her husband practiced his profession before he was elected a delegate to Philadelphia

At the Farmer's Office

Quincy, Mass. 1871

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Diphtheria.

The following order has been issued by the State Board of Health, and a diphtheria is quite prevalent in this town at the present time, the Selectmen thought it of sufficient interest for us to publish, for the benefit of our citizens.

In view of the fact that diphtheria, although now less prevalent than in the colder months, may be expected to visit a portion of our State during the autumn and winter, it seems important that more thorough attempts to control the disease should be made by the local authorities.

In the first place, as diphtheria is a contagious disease, and under certain circumstances not entirely known, very highly so, it is important that all practicable means should be taken to separate the sick from the well. As it is also in the hands of the clothing, carpets, curtains, hangings, etc., should be subjected in the sick-room, and only such material as can be readily washed.

All clothes, when removed from the patient, should be at once placed in a hot water. Pocket-handkerchiefs should be laid aside, and in their stead soft pieces of linen or cotton cloth should be used and at once burned.

Disinfectants should always be placed in the room containing the expectorator, and may be used in the room, and in the sick-room; those being especially useful which destroy bad odors without causing irritations (nitrate of lead, chloride of zinc, etc.).

In schools there should be especial supervision, as the disease is often so common in the early stages as not to attract much notice. No child should be allowed to attend school from an infected house, until allowed to do so by a family physician.

In the case of children, all reasonable care should be taken to prevent undue exposure to the cold.

Pure water for drinking should be used in the house, and a good water supply; ventilation should be insisted on; and local drainage must be carefully attended to. In country towns, privies and cesspools should be kept free, freed and disinfected; slop-water should not be allowed to soak into the surface of the ground near dwelling-houses, and the privies should be kept dry and sweet.

In cities, especially in local districts, basins, baths, etc., as now connected with drains, should be more communicated directly with sleeping-rooms. In view of the fact that the majority of our houses are improperly supplied with local drainage, and that this is probably at least as great a source of disease as the sewers; in view of the fact, too, that many cities are likely to appoint boards of health, to which the house-drains are conveyed upon which by Chapter 133 of the Acts of the General Court of 1877, the Board desire to call attention to the following important section of the Act.

“SECTION 5. Said boards of health, and the board of health of the city of Boston, in addition to the powers conferred upon them by existing statutes, and hereby authorized to prepare and enforce, in their respective cities, such regulations as they may deem necessary for the safety and health of the people. . . .”

The reference to house-drains, in its connection with public sewers, where such connection is made.”

In all cases of diphtheria, fully as important care should be taken in disinfecting the sick-room, after use, as in scarlet-fever.

After a death from diphtheria, the clothing disused should be burned or destroyed, and the body should be in boiling water; the body should be placed as early as practicable in the coffin, with disinfectants, and the coffin should be disinfected.

Children at least, and better adults also in most cases, should not attend a funeral from a house in which a death from diphtheria has occurred. In case suitable precautions, it is not necessary that the funeral should be private, provided the corpse be not in any way exposed.

Although it is not at present possible to remove at once all sources of epidemic disease, yet the frequent visitation of diphtheria, and the prevalence of the disease, may be taken as sufficient evidence of insanitary surroundings, and of sources of sickness to a certain extent preventable.

It should be distinctly understood that no amount of artificial “disinfection” can ever take the place of pure air, good food, and exercise, or private ventilation. It cannot be gained without prompt and efficient removal of all filth, whether from slaughter-houses, etc., public buildings, or from the streets of the city. It is in the opinion of the Board, this is likely to be done properly only through independent local boards of health, the removal of filth, and the disinfection of the same, respectively, but earnestly, urged upon the citizens of the State.

§3. The apartments of the two eldest sons of the Prince of Wales, on Her Majesty's training ship for cadets, the Britannia, have been fitted up at a cost of nearly \$15,000, but the young prince hadn't been on board 47 hours before the commonest kind of a 25-cent seasick came along and laid them by the heels, and emptied enough royalty out of them to stock up half a dozen ordinary kingdoms.

Have you bought your ticket and taken a programme of the concert next Monday evening at Tremont Temple? J. O. Holden has them.

§4—Ewell & Co., have the Patent Safety Surface Burner for sale. 1f

Special Notices.

OLD SOUTH. The managers of the “Old South Benefit” desire to extend their thanks to all who so kindly lent their aid, and encouragement, in aid of the entertainment on Tuesday evening last.

The pecuniary success is largely due to Mr. W. P. F. Messerv, of the Robertson House, who generously offered the use of the dining hall, and the hall, and was in many other ways is fully appreciated.

Thanks are also tendered to Mrs. Packard, of No. 20, State St. W. W. and his assistants, the polite and gentlemanly ushers; and to Mr. C. T. Reed, the accompanist.

R.
Quincy, Oct. 13. 1w

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS. The Republicans of Quincy are requested to meet at the Town Hall Saturday evening, Oct. 13, 1877, at 7.30, for the purpose of electing delegates for the County, County and Senatorial Conventions. Also, to choose any committee or transact any business that may properly come before them.

H. L. MAIR, Chairman.
C. H. PORTER, Secretary.
Quincy, Oct. 13. 1w

ATTENTION,—Comrades. Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., will hold their regular communication, every Wednesday Evening at 7.30 o'clock, at Temperance Hall, Granite street. Per order.

S. B. TURNER, Commander.
E. A. SPEAR, 2d. Adj.,
Quincy, Aug. 26. 1y

RECKEATING

Would announce that the
recently occupied by J. H. VEAZIE, on
basement thereof, and now offe

New and Second-
Bedding, Paper Ha
PAINTS,

We shall make a specialty of the *CE test*. We have a large number of patrons who
nounce it the BEST ILLUMINATING oil
white light, and is perfectly safe.

IN FURNITURE, we shall keep a
BUREAUS, SINKS, TABLES, CHAIRS, LA
We intend to give a large share of
of which, the last two or three years we have sold

Being experienced in selling and han
DEIS, we feel confident we can offer such PA
goods.

OUR KITCHEN FURNISHING C
Boards, and Benches, Brooms, Brushes, Skirt I
Pins, &c., &c.

IN OUR STOCK OF HARDWARE
Tacks, Locks, Knobs, Bolts, Hooks, Hinges,
generally.

Window Glass, Putty, Putty Knife
and Needles, Curtains and Fixtures. Curtai
on hand.

Our success in business the last year
patronage bestowed on us by the people of Qu
close cash buying and moderate profits to merit i

W. N. B. We are still Agents for the
rus Patent, and all orders left at our New Store,

RECKEATING
Hancock
Quincy, Oct. 13, 1877.

A. G. DURGIN

ROBERTSON'S BOOK,

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Having made arrange
for A. G. DURGIN &
method to announce to
I may be found at the
should be pleased to
favor me with a call.

QUINCY

NATIONAL MOUNT WOLLASTON BANK.

REPORT of the condition of the NATION-
AL MOUNT WOLLASTON BANK at
Quincy, in the State of Massachusetts, at the
close of business, October 1, 1877.

Assets and discounts,	\$297,644.09
Overdrafts,	1.83
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	150,000.00
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation,	15,254.12
Real estate, bonds and mortgages,	27,007.29
Due from approved reserve agents,	2,345.42
Due from other banks,	2,191.00
Due from individuals, including notes,	1.28
Provisional currency, (including nickels),	212.85
U. S. Treasury certificates,	1,410.00
U. S. S. Certificates of Deposit for Legal Tenders,	5,600.00
Due from Federal Reserve Bank of U. S. Treas. (5 per cent. of circulation),	6,750.00
LIABILITIES.	\$468,707.88
Capital stock paid in,	\$150,000.00
Surplus Fund,	60,000.00
Individual deposits,	4,102.84
National Bank Notes outstanding,	128,750.00
Deposits on call,	6,277.00
Deposits on time,	118,421.04
Deposits on demand Certificates of Deposit,	1,180.00
Balance on hand,	\$46,707.88

**State of Massachusetts, County of Norfolk,
I, HORACE B. SPEAR, Cashier of the above-
named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above
statement is true, to the best of my knowledge
and belief.**

HORACE B. SPEAR, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 5th
day of October, 1877.

J. W. ROBERTSON,
Justice of the Peace.

Correct—Attest:
EDWARD T. ROBERTSON, { *Directors.*
EDWARD W. TURNER, {
EDWARD W. MUNROE, {

District Court of the United States.

DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS, SS.

In Bankruptcy.

(7032.)

In the matter of GEORGE C. SOUTHER,
of Quincy, in said District, Bankrupt.
Whereas, that a Second General Meeting
of the Creditors of said Bankrupt be held be-
fore the United States District Court, in and
for the District of Massachusetts, at Quincy,
in said District, at said District, at the
place of said Court, on the 30th day of Oc-
tober, 1877, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for the
purpose named in Section 5662 of the Re-
vised Statutes of the United States; at which
meeting, debts may be proved, and the credi-
tors may determine the amount of the divi-
dend to be declared.

ELBRIDGE CLAPP, Assignee.

Oct. 13. 2w

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

To the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the
Estate of

DANIEL F. RATES,

late of Cohasset, in said County, deceased.

GREETING:

Whereas, Louis T. Cushing, Administrator of the
estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court
a petition for leave to sell all or a portion of the real
estate of said deceased, as will be shown by the peti-
tion and inventory and account and ninety-eight
dollars, for the payment of debts and charges of ad-
ministration.

And whereas, he has duly appeared at a Probate Court
to be held at Quincy, in said County of Nor-
folk, on the second Wednesday of November next,
at the hour of the clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any
he may have, against the same.

And said petitioner is ordered to serve this cita-
tion on all persons claiming to be creditors of said
deceased, or on any of them, at least two weeks be-
fore the day of said Probate Court, to appear and
show cause, if any, against the same.

Witness, GEORGE WHERRY, Esquire, Judge of said
Court, this 13th day of October, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

J. H. COBB, Register.

Quincy, October 13, 1877. 2w

Executrix's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber
has been duly appointed Executrix of the
Estate of

PATRICK SULLIVAN,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased,
and has taken upon herself that trust by
issuing bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands on the estate of said
deceased are required to exhibit the same; and all
persons indebted to said estate are called upon to
make payment to

CATHERINE SULLIVAN, Executrix.

Quincy, October 13, 1877. 2w

Wm. Spear & Co.

& SPEAR
 They have leased the Store
HANCOCK STREET, together with the
 er to the public their Stock of
Hand Furniture,
ings, Hardware,
OILS, &c.
INTENTIONAL SAFETY OIL, 100 fire
 have used it upwards of a year, and all pro-
 manufactured, it is as clear as water, gives a
 good assortment of BEDSTEADS,
 DUNGEES, &c.
 attention to PREPARED PAINTS,
 an immense quantity with entire satisfaction.
 SELLING HOUSE PAPERS and BOR-
 derings will suit any that may desire such
 GOODS will comprise Wash Tubs, Roll-
 ings, Pastry Boards, Clothes Pins, Rolling
 Pins, Cutlery and HOUSE TRIMMINGS
 can be found Nails, Screws, Brads,
 Tools, Paint Brushes, Machine Oil, Ma-
 in and Picture Cord and Tassels constantly
 years, we attribute to the very liberal
 and industry of COAL, and we shall endeavor to
 it in future.
& SPEAR,
Street.
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GIN & CO.,
 Cor. Hancock & Granite Streets,
R. D.
 gements to work
 Co., I take this
 to my friends that
 above place, and
 see all who may
MUEL BASS.
, MASS.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
 NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
 NO the Next of Kin, Creditors, and all other per-
 sons interested in the Estate of
SAMUEL LEMMON,
 of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate,
 GREETING:
 Whereas, application has been made to said Court
 grant a letter of administration upon the estate of
 said deceased, to George D. Goodridge, of Quincy,
 the County of Norfolk,
 and he is hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court
 to be held at Dedham, in said County of Norfolk, on
 the first Wednesday of November next, at nine
 o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any you
 have, against granting the same,
 and said Petitioner is hereby directed to give pub-
 lic notice thereof, by publishing this Citation
 once a week, for three successive weeks, in the new-
 spaper called the Quincy Patriot, printed at the last
 place, the last publication to be two days at least
 before said Court.
 Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Esquire, Judge of said
 Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one
 thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
 J. H. COBB, Register.
 3w
 October 13, 1877.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
 NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
 NO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other per-
 sons interested in the Estate of
TIMOTHY MCNEILL,
 of Quincy, in said County, deceased,
 GREETING:
 Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be
 his last will and testament of said deceased has
 been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Cath-
 erine McNeill, who prays that letters testamentary
 may be issued to her, the executrix therein named,
 and she may be exempted from giving security for
 her official bond,
 and she is hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court
 to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on
 the second Wednesday of November next, at nine
 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you
 have, against the same,
 and said Petitioner is hereby directed to give pub-
 lic notice thereof, by publishing this Citation once a
 week, for three successive weeks, in the newspa-
 per called the Quincy Patriot, printed at the last
 place, the last publication to be two days at least, before
 said Court.
 Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Esquire, Judge of said
 Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one
 thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
 J. H. COBB, Register.
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 October 13, 1877.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
 NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
 NO the Heirs-at-Law, Next-of-Kin, and all other per-
 sons interested in the Estate of
ELISHA WILD,
 of Braintree, in said County, deceased,
 GREETING:
 Whereas, a certain instrument, purporting to be
 his last will and testament of said deceased, has
 been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Caro-
 line Wild, who prays that letters testamentary may
 be issued to her, the executrix therein named, and
 she is hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court
 to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on
 the second Wednesday of November next, at nine
 o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any
 you have, against her publishing this Citation once a
 week, for three successive weeks, in the newspa-
 per called the Quincy Patriot, printed at the last
 place, the last publication to be two days, at least, before said Court.
 Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Esquire, Judge of said
 Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one
 thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
 J. H. COBB, Register.
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 October 13, 1877.
Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
 NORFOLK, ss. PROBATE COURT.
 NO all persons interested in the estate of
ABEL HOLBROOK,
 of Braintree, in said County, deceased,
 GREETING:
 Whereas, NANCY WHITE, the administratrix
 upon the estate of said deceased:
 and she is hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court
 to be held at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, on
 the second Wednesday of November next, at nine
 o'clock before noon, to show cause, if any
 you have, why the same should not be allowed.
 and she is hereby directed to give public notice
 thereof by publishing the same once a week for three
 successive weeks in the Quincy Patriot, a newspaper
 printed at Quincy the last publication to be two days
 at least, before said Court.
 Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Esquire, Judge of said
 Court, this eighth day of October, in the year of
 our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-
 seven.
 J. H. COBB, Register.
 3w
 October 13, 1877.
Flower Pots.
 Fancy and Plain Flower Pots,
 VERY CHEAP. — at
 E. C. CLAPP'S,
 Quincy, Sept. 23. 11

THE BEST POLISH IN THE WORLD.

THE BRONSON STORE POLISH

Trees! Trees!!

AS the season is now at hand to plant all kinds of Trees, I wish to inform my friends and patrons, and the public in general, that I have on

ALL KINDS OF Fruit & Ornamental Trees,

— AND —

SHRUBBERIES.

Also, — A Variety of **GRAPE VINES,**

From one to three years old.

Currants and Gooseberries,

At my Nursery near the National Sailors' Home.

All orders promptly attended to.

MARTIN PFAFFMAN.

Quincy, Oct. 6.

DONALD G. McRAE,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

RESPECTFULLY announces that he has taken a Store in the building recently occupied by I. A. French, on

Chestnut Street,

opposite the Congregational Church, where he will keep constantly on hand a Select and Desirable Assortment of

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings,

which he will manufacture to order into Garments, in the *Highest Style of the Art*, and at the *Lowest Living Rates.*

He takes this opportunity to thank the citizens of Quincy and vicinity for their former generous patronage, and will endeavor to merit the continuance of the same.

Quincy, Sept. 29.

Boards Wanted.

HE undersigned is now prepared to accommodate such as desire first-class board with furnished and pleasant rooms, and a table supplied with the best the market affords, at reasonable prices, in one of the pleasantest localities in this town.

A few table boarders can also be accommodated.

GREENVILLE BROOKS,

Chestnut Street.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

BOARDS.

FEW more persons can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board

at **D. F. FRENCH'S,**

Quincy, Aug. 11.

1000 GALLONS Pure Cider Vinegar,

FOR SALE AT

N. B. FURNALD'S.

Washington Street.

Quincy, Aug. 25.

FOR SALE,

BUILDING LOTS, on elevated land, near corner of Washington and Elm streets — to be lots are within five minutes' walk of the city, and near churches and schools.

For particulars enquire of

BENJ. F. CURTIS.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

FOR SALE.

COTTAGE HOUSE on Water Street, near the corner of Grant and Hobart, situated three minutes' walk from depot, recently occupied by the late Isaiah P. White. Apply at 160 Tremont street, Boston.

I. WHITE.

Quincy, Sept. 29.

TO LET,

PART of a House near the Centre Depot — Furnished or unfurnished.

Apply to **G. W. KENNISON.**

Quincy, Sept. 1.

TO LET,

TWO-STORY BUILDING on Washington Street, near the Brook, lately occupied by the late J. H. Barker, the two stories will together or separately.

Apply to

H. F. BARKER.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

HOUSE LOTS FOR SALE.

LOTS numbered 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 24, on the plantation near Grant and Hobart, in **OWN HILL**, so called, and bounded by Greenland and Centre streets, Quincy. Also, a lot of land situated at Hough Neck, on the beach, and No. 35, on plan drawn by G. Pratt. For particulars apply to

JOHN CRANE,

Franklin Street.

Quincy, April 3.

TO LET,

THE FARM of the late **EDMUND POPE**, in Squantum. It consists of a House and Barn in good repair, a large lot of land, with a good orchard, suitable for a market garden or as a summer place.

Also, about 18 acres of Salt Marsh would be sold with the above, if desired.

Apply to **MRS. EDMUND POPE,**

at Atlantic, Quincy.

Quincy, Oct. 14.

TO LET,

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable as Chamber and Parlor, or two Chambers, — a Bath and Dressing. Good board can be obtained close by.

For particulars enquire at this Office.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

For Rent on Hancock Street,

A HOUSE of eight (8) rooms, in good repair. Rent low to a good tenant. Apply to

CHARLES CRANE.

Quincy, Sept. 22.

TO LET,

A convenient and pleasant TENEMENT, in Faxon's Brick Block on Adams.

Quincy, Aug. 11.

TO LET,

A modern built, Mansard roof house, nearly new, containing eight rooms, situated on Edwarde street, recently occupied by **C. H. HARDWICK.**

Quincy, June 23.

TO LET,

A NICE TENEMENT on Hancock street, next south of Adams street. Inquire on the premises.

JOSEPH UNDERWOOD.

Quincy, June 2.

TO LET,

HOUSE on Cottage Street. — Inquire of

J. T. & W. V. HAYWARD.

Quincy, July 22.

FOR SALE.

HOUSE on Greenleaf Street. For further information, apply to

C. C. JOHNSON.

Quincy, May 9.

Old Colony Railroad.



EPOT CORNER OF SOUTH AND
KNEELAND STREETS,
BOSTON.

and after Sunday, Sept. 9, 1877,
Trains leave Quincy for Boston,

6.54, 7.30, 7.57, 7.52, 8.24, 8.40, 9.01, 9.41,
10.37, A. M., 1.02, 1.46, 3.55, 4.56, 5.04, 5.41,
6.31, 8.54, 10.30 P. M.

RETURNS—6.45, 7.55, 8.00, 8.35, 9.30,
10.00, A. M., 12.00, 1.50, 2.39, 3.32, 4.05, 4.30,
5.00, 5.32, 6.05, 6.15, 6.50, 7.45, 9.30, 11.15 P. M.

Wollaston Heights for Boston, 6.10, 6.58, 7.40,
8.35, 9.05, 9.45, 10.10 A. M., 1.04, 1.50, 3.20,
4.07, 6.54, 8.38, 10.53 P. M. RETURNS—6.45,
7.35, 9.30, 11.00 A. M., 12.00, 1.50, 2.39, 3.32,
4.05, 4.30, 5.32, 6.15, 7.40, 9.30, 11.15 P. M.

Quincy for Boston, 6.14, 7.02, 7.43, 8.06,
10.48, 11.05 A. M., 1.50, 4.04, 5.12, 6.30,
10.42, 10.36 P. M. RETURNS—6.45, 8.00, 9.30,
10.00, A. M., 12.40, 1.50, 2.39, 4.05, 5.00, 5.32,
6.15, 7.40, 9.30, 11.15 P. M.

Quincy Adams for Boston, 6.03, 6.51, 7.33, 7.48,
8.38, 9.38, 10.34 A. M., 1.42, 3.51, 5.01, 6.28,
8.31, 10.30 P. M. RETURNS—6.45, 9.30, 11.00,
12.00, 1.50, 3.32, 4.05, 5.32, 6.15, 7.40, 9.30,
10.15 P. M.

St Quincy for Boston, 6.48, 7.54, 8.50 A. M.,
4.42, 5.37, 6.17 P. M. RETURNS—8.00, A. M.,
2.39, 5.00, 6.15 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

A. M. P. M. P. M.

Quincy Adams, at 9.35 1.51 6.59

Wollaston Heights, 9.35 1.59 6.51

Atlantic, 9.36 2.03 6.21

Quincy at 9.30 A. M., 1.55, 15.13 P. M.

Returning, leave Boston for Quincy at 8.30
A. M., 12.45 and 5.00 P. M.

Returning Adams, Wollaston Heights and
Atlantic 8.30 A. M., 12.45 and 5.00 P. M.

Stops only to leave passengers.

J. R. KENDRICK, Superintendent.

WELL OTHERS!!

D. B. STETSON
IS SELLING
Kid Button Boots at \$1.50 per pair.
Leather Button Boots at 1.50 per pair.
Bren's " " " " 1.00 per pair.

— ALSO —
*Other Goods much Lower
than others!*

HEEL PROTECTORS,
8 Cents per Pair!

Quincy, Sept. 29. D. B. STETSON.
tf

**SAVE YOUR STOCKINGS,
AND MONEY,**
BY BUYING
HEEL PROTECTORS

— FOR —
2 1-2 Cts. per Pair!

— OF —
GEORGE SAVILLE,
90 Hancock Street.
Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

Can't Stand It!

AVE found, by a few evenings' trial, that
this is inconsistent to the many patrons of
Embard's Clothing Store,
if closed at the early hours recently ad-
vised by the stockholders of Quincy, and
you shall feel it my duty to keep open
evening, on and after this date, to such
as may suit my patronage.

JOS. W. LOMBARD.
Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

Grapes! Grapes!!
FOR SALE, 12 to 1500 lbs. of GRAPES
of various kinds, mostly Concord, and
other Vines. Also, Juice of the Grape
current.

GEORGE SPEAR.
Quincy, Sept. 15. 4w*

NOTICE.
AND AFTER MONDAY, OCTOBER 1-6, 1877,
THE LIBRARY
open from 1 to 5 and 6 to 8 o'clock, P. M.
SATURDAYS,
10 to 12 o'clock, A. M., and 1 to 5, and to
9 o'clock, P. M.
By order of the Trustees.
Quincy, Sept. 29, 1877.

PIPE FOR SALE.
1000 FEET 1 1/2-Inch Iron Gas Pipe,
apply for sale cheap.
Quincy, Aug. 18. C. W. WILSON.
tf

**that a Llei Girl Can Make
With Wood Splints.**
3 DIFFERENT DESIGNS, all for
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Miscellany. MAGGY'S BOUQUET. It was a church festival. A gay party of young ladies and gentlemen had assembled for the purpose of procuring money to purchase an organ, and other things considered equally necessary, and after all the customary devices for increasing their funds had been exhausted, an elegant bouquet was offered for sale, to be bestowed on the prettiest young lady present as decided by the gentlemen's votes. The two acknowledged beauties of Mendota tossed their heads complacently, and smiled a delighted approval of the proceedings, each one feeling quite confident that she would be the successful candidate. A young girl stood watching them for several moments, with evident appreciation and amusement, and then a mischievous smile played about her lips and increased the merry lustre of her eyes. She was by no means beautiful, but had a lively, pleasant face, and abundant health, that flushed her cheeks and lips with a color that made all other faces look pale and faded beside hers. Every one liked Maggy Wilson, excepting indeed those whose jealousy was aroused by her great popularity. After watching the young ladies before alluded to, she ran up to an elderly lady present, saying, "Mrs. Neely, may I take that bouquet round, and get votes?" "Votes for yourself, Maggy?" inquired the latter, in return. "Of course, ma'am, that is what I mean to do." "Well take it," said the lady, laughing, "and get all you can." Maggy seized the offered prize, and going back to the two girls, who were now watching her with wondering eyes, she said in a teasing way, "Now, girls, you both think that you are going to get this bouquet, but you will not, because I mean to have it myself." "Indeed!" exclaimed one of them, contemptuously. "I didn't know that you set yourself up for a beauty?" "Didn't you, though? Then it is quite time that you should be informed of the fact."

REPAIRING DONE AS USUAL. BOTH IN Leather and Rubber Goods. D. B. STETSON, Washington Street, Quincy, Sept. 25.

WILMOT'S, 263 Washington St., Boston. 12 New Patterns Goblets, VERY CHEAP—at GUY & BROTHER'S, 33 Bedford Street, Boston, Sept. 8.

P. A. WALES & SONS, LOG PUMPS, RANDOLPH, MASS. ORDERERS from abroad, whether given by letter or in person, will receive prompt attention; and all work done will be warranted satisfactory, and secure from action of frost. The Pumps are put in sections, and furnished with metallic chambers, if desired. Also, Pumps made with closed heads for use in public places. Randolph, Sept. 8.

SALEM LEAD COMPANY. Warranted PURE WHITE LEAD. Will known throughout New England as the WHITEST, FINEST, and BEST. LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness. At lowest market prices for goods of equal quality. FRANCIS BROWN, Treasurer, Salem, Mass. Feb. 10.

DENTISTRY. Teeth \$10 a Set on Rubber. Repairing, \$1.50 to \$5.00. All work warranted. Work done at the house of patient if desired. C. B. UNDERWOOD, DENTIST. Quincy, Mass., June 16.

Provision Store. THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, would inform his friends and the public that a good supply of FRESH MEAT, FISH, AND PROVISIONS, usually kept in Country Store, can be found at his establishment. CANNED BAKED BEANS, just the article for Picnic Parties. Try them. Fresh Fruits and Vegetables in their season, constantly on hand. All orders attended to with dispatch.

CHARLES CRANE, HANCOCK STREET, Quincy, June 23.

ROBERTSON HOUSE, QUINCY, MASS. This new brick Hotel, on Hancock Street, is now open for the accommodation of guests. It is provided with all modern improvements, such as Steam Heat, Bath Rooms, Water Closets, &c., and a very fine JACUZZI BATH or BAL ROOM. PLEASURE PARTIES can find here all the comforts formerly enjoyed at the old Lexington House. W. P. F. MERRIVE, Quincy, Dec. 16.

Can't Stand It! I HAVE found, by a few evenings' trial, that it is inconvenient to the many patrons of Lombard's Clothing Store, to have it closed at the early hours recently advertised by the storekeepers of Quincy, and therefore shall feel it my duty to keep open every evening, on and after this date, to such an hour as may suit my patrons.

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County News. We copy from the Dedham Transcript, the following paragraphs in regard to various towns in the County:—**BRAINTREE.** Mr. French, of BRAINTREE, who fell dead upon Boston Common on Saturday, was allowed to remain on the ground several hours, in the absence of the Medical Examiner, the police thinking they had no right to remove the body until after it had been viewed by that officer—a very foolish idea, but which prevails to a considerable extent in other communities. Immediately after election Hon. Caleb Stetson and family will take their departure for their Southern residence in Georgia. Hon. Edward Avery, his son-in-law, will probably accompany them. Since the appointment of the extra police, there is a marked change in the condition of affairs in BRAINTREE. **DEDDHAM.** Mr. H. O. Hildreth, Chairman, has called the County Convention to meet in Memorial Hall on Tuesday, October 22d. The whole number of delegates is 88. Rufus C. Wood, Esq., of Canton, will be nominated, probably by acclamation, for Sheriff, and as there is no open organized movement in the western section of the County, Hon. James Humphrey of Weymouth will, without doubt, be re-nominated for County Commissioner. **QUINCY.** By the 65th semi-annual statement of the Quincy Savings Bank, it appears that the amount of money on deposit by 3,583 individuals is \$1,294,083.49, which is safely invested in first mortgages on real estate, U. S. bonds, etc. A dividend has just been declared, which, after being paid, will leave a large surplus fund in the institution. That is just what we believe in, the distribution of the earnings yearly among the depositors. The management of our savings banks in Massachusetts is fast getting into the hands of men to whom, at their establishment, the legislature designed to protect the people against. **RANDOLPH.** Fights and disorder are numerous in Randolph, the Register saying in its last issue that the "list of disgrace is increasing," more than half the cases before the District Court coming from that town. Our friend Huxford complains that his paper, the Norfolk County Register, is not supported as it should be, claiming that in a town of 4,000 inhabitants it should receive more encouragement. We read the article with sorrow, for we have some bowls of compassion for a "brother" in distress. **STOUGHTON.** Quite a severe accident occurred the other day to Mr. Elmer Southworth, who, while gunning, with a party of three, after discharging his bowling-piece, arose from a stooping position, and received the contents of a companion's gun behind him, most of the shot entering the back part of his head, inflicting a severe wound. His recovery is doubtful. The Sentinel speaks of Mr. Friend Drake, 79 years of age, who, without any assistance, recently cut and made his hay on the Fowl Meadows, stating that he felt just as strong and rugged as ever, he having owned a portion of these meadows for the past 60 years. **WEYMOUTH.** \$2,357.34 was realized solely from the sale of tickets at the Agricultural Fair. The many friends of Deputy Sheriff George W. White, Jr., will regret to learn of his bereavement in the death of his wife, which took place one day last week from the rupture of a blood-vessel near the heart. She was in her 58th year. The man J. Edwin Bray, who recently committed suicide in Lawrence, was the landlord of the Pine Point House at Lovell's Grove in 1874. He jumped from a window twenty feet from the ground, and broke his neck.

How to Select Flour. In selecting flour first look to the color. If it is white with a yellowish colored tint, buy it; if it is white, with a bluish cast or with white specks in it, refuse it. 2. Examine its adhesiveness—wet and knead a little of it between your fingers; if it works soft and sticky, it is poor. 3. Throw a little lump of dried flour against a smooth surface; if it falls like powder, it is bad. 4. Squeeze some of the flour tightly in your hand; if it retains the sign given by the pressure, that, too, is a good sign. It is safe to buy flour that will stand all these tests. These modes are given by old flour dealers, and they pertain to a matter that concerns everybody—the staff of life. **A while ago** a party of lynchings, down South, postponed the hanging five minutes, to allow the victim time to finish smoking a cigar. This proves that the use of tobacco prolongs life. **The man who lets liquor** entirely alone is the safe man of the period. Such will be called forth, and when there, will be liable to remain.

Fun in the Family. What a healthful thing to have one jolly person in the house, ready to laugh at anything ludicrous, or even able to create sport at any time. There are enough to reflect on the sad side of life, and the irritable side of life, and its sober side. We need one more to show the mirth that often trembles just below the surface of painful things. A real, impetuous laugh dissipates many illusions, sweeps the twilight out of our imaginations, and brings honest daylight. **Must have been rather cramped** for room—The man who got up a dramatic performance on a small scale.

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With Supplement.

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THE PATRIOT OFFICE.

WEEKLY MANA.	FULL SEA MOON	Set.
Sunday, Oct. 20, 10.15 10.30 4.36 A.M.		
Monday, " 21, 10.45 11.00 5.39 "		
Tuesday, " 22, 11.15 11.45 rises "		
Wednesday, " 23, 12.00 12.00 6.25 P.M.		
Thursday, " 24, 12.15 12.30 6.02 "		
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Saturday, " 26, 1.45 2.00 7.47 "		
Full Moon, Oct. 22d, 2.36 A.M.		

A Good Man Gone.

Eliza French of Braintree, whose column death was announced in last week's paper, died Oct. 6th, 1877, aged years, 5 months, 29 days. His death was not wholly unexpected by his family, although they hoped the day far distant. Of an unusually active temperament and an inventive mind, he was subject to a disease which was in part hereditary, but the effect of which, with a great deal of caution, his friends hoped to prevent, and to enjoy him a great many years longer. Man proposes; God disposes. On Saturday morning he left home to visit the city, that he might by a little recreation divert his thoughts from himself, and pass the day as best suited him. At noon he passed on, went home? How pleasant to him who loved his Master to go at high noon to meet his Lord, the God he had revered and worshipped so many years, and who in the morning of that day he had so earnestly invoked to protect him from evil. And he who, watching over Israel neither slumbers nor sleeps, was true to his promise and sent his angels to meet him, and in the twinkling of an eye he was in the presence of God. But oh, the anguish of wife and children, when they knew the husband and father was no more! How alone knows! For more than sixty years he has been the most loving and devoted husband God ever gave to a wife, and a father whose whole life was centered in his children's interests. Ever patient and generous almost to a fault, his family was reared, not in affluence but in plenty, never knowing the want of any comfort which loving hands and a willing heart could provide.

His place is vacant. The chair he has had so long stands empty, but does it not speak? How many prayers have been offered on bended knees at that altar, for the family, for friends and for the church of which he was a consistent member, and to whose support he always contributed; although his voice was seldom heard in prayer outside of his own family circle, because of so sensitive a nature, many has been the song in which he has joined, and we doubt not is now singing praises to the Lamb around the throne of God. We miss him, oh how much! His home is home no longer, for the dear form and face was so much loved and delighted to honor is absent. His place in the workshop may be filled with younger hands, but no more willing heart. Conscientious in every respect, he was an honest man,—the noblest work of God.

His seat in church, which was always without sickness prevented, is vacant, and the hoary head which to him was a crown of glory has gone from our sight forever. A useful, upright citizen; a loving, devoted christian; a tender, sympathizing friend, and all that could be dear to his family and friends has been away. And what more fitting tribute can we offer than to say, Blessed be the God who died in the Lord? *

BENEFIT CONCERT. A cultured and unselfish grace Tremont Temple last Monday evening, the occasion of the benefit concert to Mr. W. W. Davis. The talent which had volunteered to appear, and the programme of first-class selections which had been prepared promised this audience an evening's entertainment which should be first-class. This promise was fully realized, and the work of the artists in the rendition of their selections fully sustained their reputation. An "Ave Maria," by the Tenor Quartette; the songs "Once Again," by Josef Claus, and "Springtime," by Mrs. Jones called forth imperative encores. "Misera," from "H Trovatore," was finely rendered by the Temple Quartette, the solo by Miss Sallie M. Clough. The instrumental selections were fully sustained by the vocal, the violin and piano of Mr. Allen being especially creditable.

CONCERT. The Sabbath School Convention, given in the Universalist Church on Sunday evening last, was one of the best ever given by this school. The pieces were well selected and finely spoken by the little ones, much to the pleasure of an attentive audience. At the close of the declamations a brief essay was delivered by Geo. W. Penniman of this town. It was very appropriate for the occasion, and was received with much interest. The advice to the young men showed much thought and study by the author, and his loud and distinct delivery won the attention of all present.

STORM. On Friday evening of last week, the ladies of West Quincy, with invited guests, completely surprised the members of the Belknap Brass Band, at their hall, where they had assembled to spend an evening in rehearsing different pieces of music. After recovering from their surprise, which took no little time, the members took the surprise to be treated, after which they treated the guests to some excellent music. By this time, Elliott's Quartette Band had arrived, and soon the young ladies and gentlemen were gliding through the hall on the light fantastic toe. After enjoying themselves in this manner for an hour or so, they were summoned to partake of a beautiful collation, prepared for the occasion. After satisfying their appetites, dancing was resumed until a late hour, when the guests wended their way homeward, highly pleased with the evening's festivities.

For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

A humorous writer says, "If you want to do well in the music business, have a top note." My verdict is, "If you want to do well in the fashion business, I.e.—if you wish to be fashionable,—wear heads." Have them on your bonnet; shower them on your costume; wear them peeping forth from beneath your dress, bestrewn plentifully on your stockings, and even on your shoes. The beads just mentioned are bronzed, or made to glitter with metallic effect; the latter style being the *clair de lune* jet, which we shall see and hear a good deal before the expiration of the winter. Bronze will be the leading color. "This going to be bronze, bronze, bronze,—in silks, dress goods, millinery and I know not what. Now 'why is this thus?' one asks, and I answer for several reasons. First, because the various bronze shades harmonize so well with the different yellows now so fashionable. Then again, bronze is a handsome color, and affords a variety from brown, on which the changes have been wrong so overlastingly; that, despite its many advantages, we have grown somewhat tired of it. Running the gauntlet of colors over, we find that bronze is more generally suitable than blue, green, plum or grey, and therefore, while we see all the above lines patronized, yet bronze will be the color.

DRESS MATERIALS. Is it a result of women's rights that dress materials look rough enough to suit so many Amazons going to war? Be that as it may, it is a fact that they do. Yet the vanity of the sex comes out in the bright interminglings of color which are apparent—gay dashes or dottings—(maybe both) of red, blue, or yellow scattered broadcast and at random over the goods, as one would see wheat in a field. The ground work may be plain, or again it may be wrought in mosaic figures, but regularity of design is thus set at naught and counteracted. New silks also are devised in similar fashion, and both come under the heading of bourette goods. But should some doubtful soul exclaim, "You have just said that bronze is the leading color!" So I have, and so I do now. Let me explain. Bourette goods being so rough, need an offset, and here comes in your bronze, effective in plainly woven woollens and silks which will appear as parts of combination costumes. Standard materials are among the first importations, and as for general wear nothing is so desirable as black, we find that special attention is paid to the better class of black goods. In cashmeres the Grand Opera brand is preferred by purchasers of discrimination, and in mohairs the Beaver Brand is excellent, being silk finished and a fast black, while the Sable Brand of Turkish brilliancy possesses the highest degree of brilliancy, and is the most beautiful black lustrous goods ever imported.

LUCY CARTER.

SUICIDE. Daniel Curry, about forty years of age, was found in the dock at East Weymouth yesterday morning. He has worked many years for the Iron Company, and leaves a wife and family.

A CABRAGE RAID. On Thursday night of last week a raid was made on the farm of Jeremiah J. Dacey of North Quincy, and 275 cabbages stolen. The police of Station VIII., of Boston, arrested John McCann on a charge of being concerned in the affair, and turned him over to State Detective Allen, who brought him before the Court in this town the present week. The other parties in the case eluded arrest. Some cabbages which were found at the North End were claimed by Dacey as being those stolen.

ASSEMBLY. The first of a course under the St. John's Total Abstinence Society, took place at the Town Hall, on Thursday evening last. The hall was crowded, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The managers spared no pains to please every one.

THE attention of our readers is called to the card of Nichols & Laster, Boston. Their stock of goods' furnishing goods is as complete as can be found in the city, while every article in it is fresh, of the newest style and latest fashion, while their prices are as low as good goods can be furnished for. Their Regent Shirt, which is their specialty, is the most elegant thing in the market.

Ewell & Co., have the Patent Safety Surprise Burner for sale. tf

Marriages.

In this town, Oct. 17th, at the residence of Dr. J. A. Gordon, by Rev. S. Kelley, Mr. Joseph F. Bauman of Grand Rapids, Mich., to Miss Jane P. Stewart, of Quincy.

Oct. 14th, by Rev. F. A. Frizgiolletti, Mr. John McGillivray to Miss Susan A. White.

In Braintree, Oct. 14th, by Rev. A. H. Johnson, Mr. N. M. Hobart to Miss Almira F. Perkins, both of Braintree.

In Braintree Oct. 17th, by the same, Mr. N. Gleason Torrey, to Miss Cora E. Baker, both of Braintree.

Deaths.

In this town, Oct. 18th, Frank A. F. son of Mr. Lewis E. and Mrs. Sarah A. Johnson, aged 7 years, 3 months and 20 days.

In East Milton, Oct. 15th, Mrs. Johanna, wife of Mr. Daniel Leary, aged 64 years.

Special Notices.

NOTICE TO VOTERS. The Selectmen will meet at their Office, on MONDAY, November 5th, 1877, from 8 A. M. to 8 P. M., for the purpose of re-viving the list of qualified voters in the town of Quincy. Also, at the same place on TUESDAY, the 6th day of November next, from 7 to 8 o'clock, A. M., for the same purpose.

**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ESION S. FELLOWS, } Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Oct. 20. 3w**

ATTENTION,—Comrades. Paul Revere Post 88, G. A. R., will hold their regular encampment, every Tuesday Evening at 7 1-2 o'clock, at Temperance Hall, Granite Street. Per order,
S. B. TURNER, Commander.
E. A. SPEAR, 2d Adj't.
Quincy, Aug. 26. 1y

Good Use for a Dime.

We advise all our readers to forward their address and 10 cents to Orange Judd Co., 245 Broadway New York, who make a special offer to send for this sum (half price and postage) the number for October 1st, of the *American Agriculturist*. This splendid number, besides over 50 engravings, contains a great amount of useful, practical, reliable and seasonable information, not only for the Farm and Garden, but for the household, children included. Most will get from it hints and suggestions worth twenty times its cost. Better still, to send \$1.00 and receive the paper, post-paid from now to the end of 1878—that is all of volume 37, with the rest of this year free. (Two copies for \$1.50 each. No where else can one get so much really valuable, paying information for so little money—not 3 cents a week, a sum easily saved or produced extra, which the paper will be sure to help one do. This Journal is prepared by practical men and women, who know what they talk and write about from actual experience and large observation, and they can and do greatly aid others to profitable planning and working. Many single hints and suggestions each abundantly repay a year's cost. The fearless exposure of quackery and humbugs in every number, are invaluable, and have saved its readers and the country millions of dollars. The department for the household and children are pleasing and instructive. Every number of the paper is beautifully illustrated. In short, the *American Agriculturist* is a full of good things, for every man, woman and child, in city, village and country. Take our advice and send \$1.00 for 14 months, or at least send a dime for the half-price specimen now offered, and see if for yourselves.

THE Golden Rule, at the close of a second successful year, announces for the third volume a re-tention of all the features that have given the paper so high a place in the public regard, and also the addition of several new ones. Mr. Murray's sermons in Music Hall are given each week, together with his exposition of the International Bible-Class Lessons, and leading editorials. His Adirondack Tales will be resumed this month. A department of "latest literature" is added, made up of selections from the best foreign and home magazines. The Farm and Home columns, so quotable and popular heretofore, will contain sketches of twelve typical farms in New England. Forty articles are promised by the ablest and most representative writers, on a variety of striking themes pertaining to the religious, educational, civil, social, industrial and physical welfare of the people. The first paper will be written by Rev. E. E. Hale. A series of articles by Wendell Phillips, on "Orators and Oratory," is expected during the year. The literary page will contain choice poetry, popular short stories, reviews and editorials, and the children's corner will be filled, as during the past year, with bright stories and other entertaining reading. The terms of the paper are \$2.50 per year. W. H. H. Murray, editor and proprietor, Boston, Mass.

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Receivers of highest awards at ALL WORLDS' EXHIBITIONS of recent years. **NEW Styles, now ready, surpass all previous productions in musical capacity and beauty of Cases.**

Catalogue Prices reduced this month on nearly all Styles,
\$10 to \$50 each.

For Cash:—FIVE-OCTAVE DOUBLE REED ORGAN for \$100. NINE STOPS, \$108. With VIOLA POLICE, SERAPHONE, VOIX CELESTE, &c., in elegant UPRIGHT CASE, \$126. EXTRA RICH CASE, \$144, and upwards. Sold also for QUARTERLY PAYMENTS, or

RENTED UNTIL RENT PAYS FOR THE ORGAN.
A small Organ, but of best quality, may be obtained by payment of \$7.30 per quarter for ten quarters.

Illustrated Catalogues, (November, 1877, mailed free.

Mason & Hamlin Organ Company,
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BOSTON.

Oct. 20. 4w

Nichols & Laster, THE GENTS' FURNISHERS, SHIRT FOR SHIRTMAKERS

BUSINESS, PARTIES, AND WEDDINGS
Ladies' Laundry,
A SPECIALTY.
67 TREMONT STREET,
Tremont House,
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NOTICE.

JOHN H. VEAZIE

HAS REMOVED HIS APOTHECARY STORE from the building of Ex-Honorable H. H. Faxon, to

Store directly Opposite,
formerly occupied by Treasurer & McKee.

Please govern yourselves accordingly.
Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

Pure Cider Vinegar,
MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE.
For sale by the barrel or gallon.
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

Farmer Backman, of Hampton-burgh, Orange county, N. Y., has realized over \$100,000 from the sale of horses from his farm within the past year. Governor Sanford, of California, purchased \$48,800 worth during his visit to Mr. Backman's place last summer. A pair of two-year old colts were lately sold for \$2,000 each.

FALL OPENING!

We have the pleasure to inform you that we are opening our

FALL STOCK

Ladies', Misses & Children's Underwear & Hosiery.

A full and complete Stock of

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DRY GOODS.

Extraordinary Bargains

POPULAR GOODS.

Cocheco, yd wide Foulard

CAMBRICS,
At the low price of 9 cents per yard; worth 12 1-2.

NEW PATTERNS OF TYCOON REPS,

At 22 cents a yard.

NEW COLORS

Snow-Flake Dress Goods,

At 12 1-2 cents per yard.

Sheep's Gray Unshrinking

SHAKER FLANNEL,

At 50 cents per yard.

WHITE FLANNELS,

At 25 cents a yard.

A HEAVY GRAY FLANNEL,

At 25 cents per yard.

ALL WOOL

Printed Flannels

For Children's Dresses,
30 cents per yard.

10-4 BLANKETS,

At \$2.75 per pair,—Very Cheap!

COTTON BATTING,

12 1-2 cents per roll.

7-8 UNBLEACHED

Cotton Flannel,

At 10 cents a yard.

FINE 4-4

Bleached & Brown Cottons.

At 8 cents per yard.

NEW PATTERNS OF Turkey Red and Linen

Table Damask.

LADIES' Merino Vests and Drawers,

ALL SIZES,—at 50 Cents each.

A GOOD LINE OF FELT SKIRTS,

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A FULL LINE OF Knit Worsted Goods.

NEW SHADES OF WORSTED FRINGES.

GENTS' Furnishing Department COMPLETE.

MEN'S Scarlet Cashmere Shirts & Drawers,

At \$1.75,—Cheap.

Mme. DEMOREST'S Reliable Patterns.

You are invited to call and inspect our STOCK AND PRICES.

Defrees & Milliken,
Hancock Street.
Quincy, Oct. 13. tf

Stoves! Stoves!

The subscriber has on hand, and is prepared to furnish

Cook, Parlor, and Office STOVES,

OF THE BEST PATTERNS, AT REASONABLE RATES.

Any STOVE, not in stock, will be obtained at short notice.

TIN WARE

Kitchen Furnishing Goods
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Also,—SINKS, LEAD PIPE and SHEET LEAD.

FURNACES AND RANGES
Set and Repaired.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

E. S. FELLOWS.
Quincy, Oct. 13. tf

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Cook Stoves, Ranges, Parlor and Office Stoves

Including the celebrated STEWART STOVES.

Also
A full assortment of TIN WARE and KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS.

Furnaces, Ranges, and Stoves REPAIRED at short notice.

Pumps set and Repaired.

Old Copper, Brass, Lead, and Rags, taken in EXCHANGE for Ware.

Prices to suit the times. Terms Cash.

JAMES W. PIERCE, R. M. SANBORN.
Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

Patent Safety Lamp

—AND—

SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWENTY HUNDRED and FIFTY lives and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by upsetting lamps while burning, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

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—AND—

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Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot explode if dropped! Cannot explode if overturned! Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguished as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY

W. W. EWELL & CO.
Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

Removal.

KEATING & SPEAR

Would announce that they have leased the Store recently occupied by J. H. VEAZIE, on HANCOCK STREET, together with the basement thereof, and now offer to the public their Stock of

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Life has its moments
Of beauty and bloom;
But they hang like sweet roses
On the edge of the tomb.
Blessings they bring us,
As lovely as brief.
They meet us when happy,
And leave us in grief.
Hues of the morning,
Tinging the sky,
Come on the sunbeams,
And off with them fly;
Shadows of evening
Hang soft on the shore,
Darkness enwraps them,
We see them no more.
So life's better moments
In brilliance appear,
Dawning in beauty,
Our journey to cheer.
Round us they linger,
Like shadows of even;
Would that we, like them,
Might melt into Heaven.

Agricultural, &c.

Potatoes for Cattle.

Potatoes as cattle-food will probably come into common use this season, in those districts where heavy crops glut the local markets, and heavy freights preclude distant ones. In this connection, the results of a series of experiments by Dr. Wolff, a German chemist, may be profitably instructive to some of our readers. He experimented in feeding raw and cooked potatoes; the animals did not give as large a quantity of milk as when fed upon raw; but the milk made nearly a third more butter, 42 pounds of milk having been required to make a pound of butter in one case, and only 27 pounds in the other.

The Peach Borer.

Examine the lower part of the peach trees now, and dig out all the grubs you can find. Next season heap a small mound of dry ashes or fine lime around each tree, and whitewash the trunk for a foot above ground. Have the ashes always closely packed around the stems. This will keep the borers away. But the trees should be examined every Fall and Spring for any borers that may elude your vigilance.

A Mysterious Disease.

An alarming and mysterious disease has broken out among the cows of Hervey Wait of Warren, Washington County, Vermont. Mr. Wait had a dairy of fifteen cows in excellent condition, and five of them have died of the disease, two dying while they were in the pasture without any extra feed, and three since they have been turned into fall feed. A post mortem examination did not reveal any disease, unless yellow water, somewhat thicker than milk, found in the cavity around the intestines, varying in amount from one to two pailfuls, was an indication.

Squashes, pumpkins, and all that class of vegetables require: First, an absence of light; second, a dry temperature not exceeding 45 deg. or 60 deg., and third, to be so placed that one does not come in contact with another. We have always had success in keeping them well into spring by placing them in a cool, dry chamber until freezing occurs, and then removing them to a closet for safe keeping over winter. Thus Hubbard and other hard-shelled varieties may be kept until May and even June. For use until February, they will keep tolerably well in a dry cellar placed on shelves.

This is what a Middlesex man raised from a "garden patch," consisting of thirty-five rods of land: Ninety-eight bushels of turnips; thirty-nine of beets, three of carrots, three of tomatoes, two of cucumbers, fifty squashes, two bushels of corn and beans—in all 157 bushels—besides melons and other "small fry."

Amos Boynton of Plymouth raised from one hill of squashes 850 pounds. Two weighed respectively 97 and 92 pounds, and the rest over 50 each.

The best thing to fall over now is a fall overcoat.

Anecdotes.

An old gentleman in a railway car, who was very nearly bald, with the exception of a clump of hair back of his ears, frequently took off his hat and scratched back of his ears. A rough back woodsman in the car shouted: "Stranger, if you'll drive 'em up in the clearing you can catch 'em all in five minutes."

"What are those purple posies down by the brook?" asked Gus.

"If you mean those glorious masses of emurpelled efforescence that bloom in bosky dells and fringe the wimpling streamlets, they are Campanula rotundifolia," replied Clara.

An Irishman, to whom some wonderful story was told on the authority of a penny newspaper, declined to believe it saying he distrusted all he saw in "cheap prints."

"Why shouldn't you believe the cheap papers?" he was asked, "as soon as any other?"

"Because," was his ready answer, "I don't think they can afford to speak the truth for the money!"

Fond Mother: "Why what is the matter with my darling? Nurse tells me you don't want to get up yet; tell your last night's gayety made you ill, pet?"

Pet (who has been to a child's dance the night before): "Oh, no! not at all, Mamma dear, but it's the proper thing; every lady in bed late after a ball!"

Doctor: "Now tell me, colonel, how do you feel when you've killed a man?"

Colonel: "O, very well; thank you, doctor—how do you?"

Conundrums.

Why is a pretty lady like an oat cake?

Because she is often toasted.

What is the greatest hardship in the world? An iron steamer.

What is the best thing to do in a hurry? Nothing.

Which is the ugliest hood ever worn? Falsehood.

What grows bigger as you contract it? Debt.

Why are troubles like babies? Because they get bigger by nursing them.

What crop is held to be all the better, the more "weeds" it produces? The tobacco crop.

Why is a baby like a sheaf of wheat? Because it is first cradled, then threshed, and finally becomes the flower of the family.

The Season of Intermittents.

All malarial complaints, in other words, all disorders generated by unwholesome exhalations from the earth or water, are prevalent at this season. In every season subject to the visitation of fever and ague, or other forms of intermittent disease, the causes which produce these maladies are now active at work. This, therefore, is a period of the year when the inhabitants of such districts should prepare their systems to meet the unwholesome condition of the atmosphere by a course of tonic and alterative treatment. Foremost among the invigorators, recommended by the system against all epidemics and epidemic malarial, stands Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. By a timely and judicious use of this medicine, the aid of an unwholesome soil may be overcome, the system will be kept in a healthy state, and the patient will be able to overcome the strongest.

STILL BELOW ALL OTHERS!!

D. B. STETSON

IS SELLING

Ladies' Kid Button Boots, at \$1.50 per pair.

Children's " " " " 1.00 per pair.

—ALSO—

All other Goods much Lower than others!

HEEL PROTECTORS,

8 Cents per Pair!

Quincy, Sept. 23.

SAVE YOUR STOCKINGS,

AND MONEY,

BY BUYING

HEEL PROTECTORS

—FOR—

12 1-2 Cts. per Pair!

—OF—

GEORGE SAVILLE,

90 Hancock Street.

Quincy, Sept. 22.

DEALER IN

WOOD AND COAL,

LUMBER AND HAY.

BEAN POLES FOR SALE.

Slate at Geo. Saville's Store

Post Office Box, 255.

Quincy, Feb. 3.

JOHN A. HOLDEN

MERCHANT TAILOR,

AND DEALER IN

Cloths, Cassimere, Doeskins,

AND VESTINGS.

HANCOCK STREET, COR. SCHOOL STREET,

QUINCY.

HAS on hand and is constantly receiving

from the best sources, new and desirable

goods adapted to his trade. All who wish

first-class CLOTHING, for a fair

price, are respectfully invited to call.

N. B. It would be well to remember that

clothing and dress are relative attributes

they have a relation to the quality of the

article we buy, and that which does not answer

well the end for which it was intended, is

DEAR AT ANY PRICE.

Quincy, March 30.

Elm Street Market.

THE subscriber would inform his customers

that he is now prepared to furnish

them with his usual supply of

Poultry, Meats, Lard, Eggs,

&c., &c., &c.

at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. And a

good selection of

Superior Family Groceries,

KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES.

IN THE CASE OF

Orders respectfully solicited and promptly

attended to.

HENRY S. TOTMAN.

Quincy, May 13.

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CHEAP!

HOSIERY AND GLOVES.

—AT—

E. CLAPP'S,

65 HANCOCK STREET.

Quincy, June 24.

ROCKWELL & CHURCHILL,

29 ARCH ST., BOSTON, MASS.

PRINTERS OF EVERYTHING.

BOOKS,

PAMPHLETS,

CATALOGUES,

AND

MERCANTILE WORK

OF ALL KINDS.

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EXECUTIVE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber

has been duly appointed Executor of the

Will of

PATRICK SULLIVAN,

late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased,

and has taken upon himself that trust by

giving bonds, as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said

deceased are required to exhibit the same, and all

persons indebted to said estate are called upon to

make payment to or for the said estate.

CATHERINE SULLIVAN, Executrix.

Quincy, October 13, 1877.

NOVELTY! NOVELTY!!

We desire to call special attention to the new

MOSAIC CARPETS

(Of which we have obtained the exclusive sale), a CLOSE IMITATION OF RUSSELLS

in manufacture and patterns, and of the UNUSUAL WIDTH OF A YARD

AND A HALF, which we offer at

96 Cents Per Yard, Full Width.

For Price, Style, and Quality, the goods are unequalled.

LEARNARD, HARTLEY & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Carpets, Paper Hangings, Upholstery Goods, &c., &c.

103 Washington Street, Boston.

P. S.—On receipt of the price and 24 cents (actual postage) we will send a yard of the

carpet, which makes a useful rug 1 yard by 1 1/2 yard.

Sept. 29.

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CARPETINGS.

25 PER CENT SAVED

By Buying your Carpetings direct of the

Manufacturers.

JOHN & JAMES DOBSON,

The Largest Manufacturers of Carpetings in the United States, are offering to

the purchasing public, at lowest Manufacturers' Prices, their large and

complete stock of New and Elegant Patterns in

WILTONS, ROYAL VELVETS, BRUSSELS,

TAPESTRIES, THREE PLYS, EX. SUPERS,

SUPERS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, ETC.

Churches, Hotels, and Public Buildings a Specialty.

CALL AND EXAMINE THEIR GOODS BEFORE PURCHASING.

SAMPLES SENT BY MAIL.

WAREHOUSES, 44 Washington Street, Boston.

FACTORIES, Falls of Schuylkill, Pa.

Sept. 22.

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District Court of the United States.

DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS, SS.

In Bankruptcy.

(1872.)

In the matter of GEORGE G. SOUTHER,

of Quincy, in said District, Bankrupt.

It is ordered, that a Second General Meeting

of the Creditors of said District, be held at

the Court House, in said County of Norfolk,

at 2 1/2 o'clock, A. D. 1877, at 11 o'clock, A. M.,

for the purpose named in Section 302 of the

Revised Statutes of the United States; at which

meeting debts may be proved, and the creditors

may determine the amount and dividend to be

declared.

Oct. 13.

ELMIDGE CLAPP, Assignee.

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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.

In the matter of SAMUEL LEMMON,

late of Quincy, in said County, deceased, intestate.

Whereas, application has been made to said Court

to grant a letter of administration on the estate of

said deceased, to GEORGE G. SOUTHER, of Quincy,

in said County of Norfolk;

and whereas, said application has been duly

considered, and it is the order of said Court,

that said GEORGE G. SOUTHER, do and lawfully

execute the duties of administrator of said

estate, subject to the supervision of said Court,

and that he do and lawfully execute the duties

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The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, OCT. 20, 1877.

Lucy Stone, who has been lately preaching woman suffrage in Colorado, writes that the Mexicans there have no ploughs, but stir the ground with a crooked stick. To thresh grain they lay it in a large circle and turn horses or a flock of goats upon it. Two or three men then drive the animals repeatedly round, until the wheat is trodden out. The straw is then thrown up with a fork or with sticks, and the chaff is blown away. Such wheat as may be required for family use is washed by the women, and that which is sold remains unwashed.

The benevolent work of John G. Chapman of New Haven, who for five years has been in the habit of supplying the Post Office officials with stamps with which to forward letters dropped into the office unstamped, finds his operations brought to an end by an order from the Post Office Department, to the effect that such proceedings must cease, and all letters held for postage must be forwarded to the dead-letter office. During the period from April, 1872, to August, 1877, Mr. Chapman has sent in this way 16,627 letters, at an expense of \$406. He has received from the persons benefited \$224, besides numerous letters of thanks, and a few handsome presents.

Montgomery Sears of Boston was married a few days ago and gave his wife a wedding present of a residence costing \$110,000. Mr. Sears, we understand, is not a newspaper paragon, and some persons may be at a loss to know how he accumulated so much wealth.—*Morristown Herald.*

A tramp, who ordered eggs and cider from a Hawleyville house, and spat on the carpet when he was ordered off, was promptly knocked down by the valiant servant girl and treated to a hot-water shower bath.

Talk about your thrifty Yankee? Why, here's a guileless Texas youth who rode a thirty dollar mule into town the other morning, swapped eight times, and rode home at night on a seventy-five dollar horse, and with a hundred dollars in his boot-leg. There's no one in Connecticut who can beat that.—*Commercial Advertiser.*

During a recent thunder storm near Memphis, Tenn., a negro was severely kicked by a vicious mule, and just as he was picking himself up, a stroke of lightning hit the mule and killed him dead on the spot.

"Well, dar!" exclaimed the negro, "ef dis chile hain't got powerful friends to venge his 'insults, den dare's no use tryin' to hab faith in anything!"

The prosperity of a family is rarely more marked than that of Gen. John B. Hood of North Carolina. After eight years of married life he has nine children, three pairs of them being twins. His family is further supplemented by four nurses, a governess and a mother-in-law. Transient callers are at a loss to determine whether the house is a founding asylum or a new style of Kindergarten.—*Union Argus.*

GENIUS. Alexander Hamilton once said to an intimate friend: "Men give me some credit for genius. All the genius I have is just this—when I have a subject on hand I study it profoundly. Day and night it is before me. I explore it in all its bearings. My mind becomes pervaded with it. Then the effort which I make is what the people call the fruit of genius. It is the fruit of labor and thought."

Barnum is twenty-seven years older than his wife. She was engaged to marry a former treasurer of his. It became necessary for her to write him several letters after her lover's death. He was captivated with her style, offered marriage and was accepted. Thus was manifested the fine literary sense—and other sense, such as he has—of Phineas T. Barnum.

BURNING GARBAGE. New York city is trying the experiment of burning its garbage, and there is a promise of success. A furnace is used, the fires in which, after being started, are fed by the garbage itself, the flames being fanned by power created from the heat generated, so that the cost is simply the wear and tear of the apparatus.

In seven years Rome has run up a debt of 75,000,000 francs, avowedly for the purpose of rubbing off an excess of ancient dinginess.

FIRES IN MASSACHUSETTS. Insurance Commissioner Rhodes has been collecting statistics on fires in Massachusetts. He has returns from all but five towns in the State, and finds that 87 towns had no fires during the year 1876. The whole number of fires reported was 1538, of which the very great proportion of 420 were attributed to incendiaries. Many of the reports contain evidence that more insurance was paid on the buildings burned than they would sell for, and this was the method taken to "realize." Defective chimneys occasioned 161 fires, spontaneous combustion 25, kerosene lamps 46, children with matches 39, lightning 44, and fire-works only 9; 167 fires were occasioned by acts of carelessness, 127 buildings were burned from exposure to other buildings on fire. The total loss was \$3,531,379, and the losses by the insurance companies in the State, during the year, were \$4,738,180.

A Mr. Steele recently married a Miss Lemmon in New York. We have our opinion of any man who would Steele a Lemmon, but we suppose it was well squeezed before he took it, which lightens the offence. Or maybe he wanted some lemon aid.

"I've come to stay," as the corset-maker announced, when he advertised his arrival in a country village.

Speaking of dancing, a clergyman hits the nail on the head with the remark that people usually do more harm with their tongues than with their toes.

A Teutonic gentleman entered Durbin & Co.'s drug store with a handful of currency, and asked Sammy if he had a "life tollar pill," wishing to change his small notes for a bill of that denomination. The clerk looked at the Dutchman with bulging eyes, and replied that the highest priced pills in the store were only \$2 a box.

A Saratoga County, (N. Y.) woman and her seven children have died of diphtheria within a month.

"Clergymen," remarks an exchange, "like railway brakemen, do a good deal of coupling." Ah, yes; and then the coupled ones do all the switching.—*Hawkeye.*

An accident occurred at the gas works in a neighboring town last week, and for two nights the place was in comparative darkness. Experienced young men took advantage of the accident to go to see their girls both nights, and now they declare that courtship would be vastly improved if the gas works were abolished.—*Morristown Herald.*

According to the annual registration report of the State of Massachusetts, the number of births during the year 1876 was 42,749 or 1847 less than in 1875; 12,749 marriages, or 914 less than in 1875; and 33,186 deaths, or 1792 less than in 1875. One living child was born to every 40 persons; one person in every 66 was married, and one person in every 51 died.

Mars is a very bright red planet, seen in the eastern sky, a little above the horizon, at sunset. Saturn is a dimmer object, a little to the left of Mars, and a little further from the horizon. Jupiter is a very bright planet, still higher in the southern sky, and Venus sets a little after the sun in the west.

DAMON Beats the World ON HIS SPECIAL LINES OF FINE GOODS.

Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots, -	\$2 50
Ladies' fine goat Button Boots, -	2 50
Children's fine goat Button Boots, -	1 50
Misses' fine goat Button Boots, -	2 00
Ladies' fine kid Button Boots, -	2 50
Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots, -	2 75
Ladies' French kid button and side lace Boots, -	\$5 50
Gents' best calf Boots, -	3 to 4 50
Gents' Congress & lace Waukenphast, -	2 50 to 4 50
Gents' Button Boots, -	5 00

These are not Cheap Qualities, but the Best Work and Stock.

Satisfaction given if any prove poor with little wear.

The subscriber's 25 years experience in buying and selling none but good fitting and good wearing BOOTS and SHOES, is in marked contrast with the ignorance and unreliability of two-thirds of the Boot and Shoe Retailers, who neither know nor care whether a shoe be good or poor, so long as the sale is made. Call and be satisfied at

DAMON'S,
25 & 28 Essex Street,
BOSTON. (O. M. A.) & M. R. A.
Sept. 15. 3m

Budget of Fun.

A dutiful mother who resides at Braintree, after waiting patiently nearly an hour, for a new beau in the parlor to leave, got excited and exclaimed:—

"Maggie, it is eleven o'clock; tell that young man to shut the front door from the outside."

How curious it is that one now hears men remark: "Well, winter isn't so bad, after all. In fact, I like winter." Nothing like crow, when quail isn't to be had.

A girl may read about heaven all her life, but she never has anything like a correct idea of it till she gets her first bean.

A mosquito is a very free-and-easy sort of a creature. He visits you at all hours of the night, and generally makes himself to hum.

An old bachelor having been laughed at by a party of pretty girls, told them: "You are small potatoes!" "We may be small potatoes," said one of them, "but we are sweet ones."

"Time flies," suggested she. "Yes," he answered, sadly taking a dark object out of the cream, "Time flies were gone."

That awful lad again: "Ma, pa has got the best of you; you can't strike matches on your trousers like he can."

It has been found that kerosene oil will remove dandruff and give the hair a fine gloss, but the aristocracy will not use it on account of its cheapness.

A good looking young man, who recently called at a house in South Quincy, said:

"I regret, miss, that your father is not at home. I had an important proposal to make to him."

Young lady of the house, demurely,—"Well, perhaps you could make your proposal to me; I am disengaged at present."

Good looking young man excuses himself and retires in confusion.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS



Mothers who Dose their Darlings with drastic purgatives incur a fearful responsibility. The gentle, moderate (yet effective), laxative, alterative, and anti-bilious operation of TARRANT'S SELTZER WATER peculiarly adapts it to the disorders of children.

\$5 to \$20 per day at home. Samples worth \$5 free. STINSON & CO., Portland, Me.

PLAYS! PLAYS! PLAYS! PLAYS!

For Reading Clubs, for Amateur Theatricals, Temperance Plays, Drawing Room Plays, Fairy Plays, Ethiopian Plays, Guide Books, Speakers' Pantomimes, Tabular Lights, Magnesium Lights, Colored Fire, Burnt Cork, Theatrical Face Preparations, Jarley's Wax Works, Wigs, Beards, and Moustaches at reduced prices. Costumes, Scenery, Charades. New catalogue sent free, containing full description and prices. SAM'L FRENCH & SON, 122 Nassau St., N.Y.



\$66 a week in your own town. Terms and \$5 outfit free. H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

WANTED.—AN ENERGETIC BUSINESS Man and one Lady to solicit orders for a labor saving staple article wanted everywhere. Send 3c. stamp for circular and terms. ROCHESTER MANUFACTURING CO., 171 E. Main St., Rochester, N. Y.

WORK FOR ALL.

In their own localities, canvassing for the **Fire-side Visitor**, (enlarged) Weekly and Monthly. **Largest Paper in the World**, with Mammoth Chromes Free. Big Commissions to Agents. Terms and Outfit Free. Address **P. O. VICKERY, Augusta, Maine.**

\$12 a day at home. Agents wanted. Outfit and terms free. TRUE & CO., Augusta, Maine.

25 Extra Fine Mixed Cards, with name 10 cents Post-paid. L. JONES & CO., Nassau, N. Y.



NOTICE.

Barrett's Dye House.
52 Temple Place, Boston.
Long known as the best in New England. Full instructions for sending articles by mail or express. Send for circular and price list.

1000 IN GOLD.

TO ALL

WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The directors of the Phosphoric Air Company in good faith, offer the above reward, for the sworn statement of two respectable citizens of any city or town, which will prove that

PHOSPHORIC AIR, THE GREAT FRENCH REMEDY, has failed to permanently cure any form of CATARRH, Asthma, Epilepsy, or any form of Nervous or mental diseases. One month's treatment, Inhaler, and instruction, sent to any part of the country on receipt of \$5.00.

Inhalation is the only way, in which the Air passages, and Brain can be reached. Phosphoric Air cures by its effects upon the circulation, which is the only way, disease can be eradicated from the system.

We will be happy to give a TRIAL FREE to any who can call upon us so that they may experience its immediate beneficial effects.

Consulting Rooms of Phosphoric Air Company,

94 Tremont St., Boston.

Sept. 8.

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LEWANDO'S FRENCH DYE HOUSE,

65 TEMPLE PLACE,

(Established over 30 years.)

The only House in New England for

DRY CLEANSING,

Which renovates the finest wearing apparel without injury to color or fabric, restoring them to their original beauty. Special attention to pressing same.

Ladies' and Gents' Garments of all kinds, Dyed or Cleaned, whole or ripped. Carpets, Rugs, Blankets and Woolen Curtains cleaned.

Furriers dyed, cleansed and curled.

Crape re-dressed at shortest notice.

Shoes and Slippers cleaned.

Kid Gloves cleaned in a superior manner, with the original finish, 10 cents; dyed, 25 cents.

Best Work! Shortest Time! Lowest Prices!

Orders by Express or Mail promptly attended to.

SOLE AGENCY FOR

Church's Naphtha Cleansing Works,

For thoroughly cleansing from oil, grease or dirt, and destroying all insect life, Furniture, Bedding, Carpets, Rugs, and Blankets. Carpets cleaned without shrinking.

Carpet-beating a specialty.

CENTRAL OFFICE

No. 65 Temple Place, Boston.

Sept. 22.

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QUINCY DYE-HOUSE,

— AND —

STEAM LAUNDRY.

HAVING fitted up a Dye-House in connection with the Laundry, we wish to give notice that we are ready to do all kinds of DYEING in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and at as reasonable prices as at any other Dye-House in the State! Cleansing of all kinds done at short notice.

FAMILY WASHING, at 75 cts. per dozen. P. S. Having bought out the business formerly carried on by William H. Baxter, we feel justified in stating that we are ready to do LAUNDRYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, in a style equal to work done in TROY.

We hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of the public patronage. Order Box at E. B. Souther's Store, at the Depot, and at Wollaston Post Office. Works in the rear of Tirrell & Sons' Carriage Manufactory, Hancock Street.

C. W. GEORGE, Proprietor.

Quincy, Feb. 13.

Sportsmen Attention!

Mr. G. A. BADGER

HAVING recently returned from Florida, will resume his old business of MAKING and REPAIRING of

Guns, Pistols, Cutlery,

and almost any kind of light Mechanical Work. Special attention to Boring of Guns to make them shoot well,—at

BADGER BROTHERS',

WEST QUINCY.

Quincy, Aug. 4.

Good News! Good News!!

THE BEST RANGE

Ever Offered to the Public!!

Over One Hundred in use

In Quincy and Braintree,

And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.

Call and see them, at

CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.

Quincy, Jan. 29.

PAPER HANGING!!

J. W. LeGALLEE.

ALL Orders left at the store of Keating & Spear, Washington Street, or P. O. Box 425, will receive prompt attention. Quincy, April 3.

CYRUS PATCH,

DEALER IN

FRANKLIN COAL,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY;

LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA,

And Best Quality of

SHAMOKIN COAL.

— ALSO —

CUMBERLAND COAL,

For Blacksmiths' and Steam Purposes.

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A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH.

Quincy, May 1.

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The Company is prepared to furnish the best quality of

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Quincy, June 23.

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COAL,

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GEORGE SAVILLE,

90 Hancock Street,

Is daily adding to his Stock a FULL LINE of Goods in his different departments, CONSISTING OF

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers,

HATS AND CAPS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

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Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags

And Umbrellas.

All of which he is selling at prices to correspond with the times.

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Teeth fitted, Cleaned or Extracted in the
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Mondays and Saturdays,
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In Office of Hon. JOHN Q. ADAMS,
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Over One Hundred in use
In Quincy and Braintree,
And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.
Call and see them at,
CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.
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Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Post
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EVERY VARIETY OF PLUMBING WORK
done at lowest prices.
Quincy, Jan. 28. if

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Corner of Hancock and Granite Streets,
QUINCY.
SURVEYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,
including the
Laying out of Public and Private Grounds,
The Furnishing of Estimates of all kinds of
Grading,
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DONE PROMPTLY and at MOD-
ERATE CHARGES.
Quincy, June 17. 3m

WHITMAN & BRECK,
Civil Engineers & Surveyors
CORNER OF
DEVONSHIRE & WATER STREETS,
BOSTON.
Rear Room 85 Devonshire and 16 Water Streets.)
Particular attention paid to Land Surveying,
laying out private grounds, and the general in-
surance of public and private buildings care-
fully prepared.
R. W. WHITMAN,
Dec. 14. C. E. C. BRECK.
April 15

RALPH LOWE
RETURNS his thanks to the public gener-
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surance of public and private buildings care-
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All orders left will receive prompt attention.
Collar and Harness Making,
—AND—
Carriage Trimmings
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES
N. B. Every article in the trade made to
order, and REPAIRING done in the nearest
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Quincy, Aug. 29. if

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Valuable Real Estate
IN QUINCY,
FOR SALE.
THE following described parcels of land sit-
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A valuable piece of land on Elm street, with
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Also, on the same street, nearly opposite the
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of the late GRIDLEY TOTMAN.
Also, a valuable lot of Woodland in West
Quincy.
For further particulars apply to
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Quincy, May 19, 1877. if

J. Q. POOLE,
MANUFACTURER OF
Ladies' and Gentlemen's
CUSTOM
BOOTS AND SHOES,
To Measure and Warranted.
Boot and Shoe Findings
For Sale.

PRICE LIST.
REPAIRING.
1-2 Soles, Heels, hand-sewed, - \$1.25
1-2 Soles, Heels, pegged, - .50
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1-2 Soles, Heels, Children, - .25
Patches from 10 to 15 cents.
LADIES:
1-2 Soles, Heels, Ladies, - .45
1-2 Soles, Heels, Misses, - .50
1-2 Soles, Heels, Children, - .40
To be made to look as good as new.
Shop on Hancock Street,
Adjoining Charles Crane's Store,
Quincy, March 3. if

BOOTS & SHOES,
Made and Repaired.
THE subscriber would inform his friends and
the public, that he has enlarged his shop,
and is now better prepared than ever to do their
work at short notice, and on reasonable terms.
FREDERICK J. FIELD,
Quincy Avenue, near Liberty Street,
Sept. 23.

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Made and Repaired.
THE subscriber would respectfully an-
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the shop corner of
HANCOCK AND GRANITE STS.
where he is prepared to Make and Repair Boots
and Shoes, in a neat manner, at a reasonable
price.
FREDERICK J. FIELD,
Quincy, Jan. 29. if

Prices for Repairing:
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1-2 Soles, Heels, pegged, - .50
1-2 Soles, Heels, Misses, - .35
1-2 Soles, Heels, Children, - .25
Patches from 10 to 15 cents.
BOYS:
1-2 Soles, Heels, - .85
LADIES:
1-2 Soles, Heels, - .50
1-2 Soles, Heels, Misses, - .50
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Quincy, May 8. if

FREDERICK & FIELD,
GRANITE DEALERS
AND CONTRACTORS FOR
CEMETERY WORK.
All kinds of Granite furnished,
Quincy, Aug. 4. if
Quincy Bakery.
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continue to manufacture at his establishment
Bread, Cake, and Pastry,
and all other articles usually found in any
Bakery. Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of
Plain and Fancy Crackers.
GINGER SNAPS, &c.
Hot Rolls every Evening.
Wedding Cakes furnished to order at Boston
prices. CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR for sale at low-
est cash prices. WM. A. HODGES.
Quincy, Jan. 21. if

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UNDERTAKER.
THE subscriber would respectfully inform the
public that he is fully prepared to execute
all orders in the Furnishing Undertaker's busi-
ness, at his establishment.
No. 51 Hancock Street.
Constantly on hand, a FULL ASSORTMENT OF
CASKETS, COFFINS,
Robes and Habits.
Having had several years experience in the
Undertaking business, the subscriber hopes by
strict attention to the wants of all callers to
merit a share of patronage.
JOHN HALL,
Quincy, March 10. if

DRESS MAKING,
—AND—
MILLINERY.
The subscriber is prepared to do
Cloak and Dress-Making,
in all the different and most Fashionable Styles,
at her residence at the head of Granite Street,
where the LATEST PATTERNS are received as
fast as issued. She would state that the
latest style of
MILLINERY GOODS
can be found at her store, and she is prepared
to do any work in that line that may be en-
trusted to her.
A good assortment of MILLINERY
GOODS will be found to select from.
Mas. LYDIA CLAPP.
Quincy, June 24. if

BOSTON
Safe Deposit Vaults,
POST OFFICE SQUARE,
CORNER
MILK AND CONGRESS
STREETS.
Securities and Valuables Stored
AND
SAFES RENTED,
From \$10 to \$150 a year.
THE BOSTON SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST
CO. is authorized to receive Monies and Property
in Trust or on Deposit.
Interest allowed on Money Deposits.
President—FREDERICK M. STONE.
Vice-Presidents—FREDERICK W. LINCOLN,
THOMAS TALBOT, SAMUEL C. COBB.
Oct. 6. if

CARPETS
ARE CHEAP!
LOOK AT OUR
Goods and Prices!
WE WILL ALSO SELL
Draperies,
Window Shades,
—AND—
Paper Hangings,
At the Lowest Prices.

CHILDS, CROSBY & LANE,
116 Tremont St., Boston,
Nearly Opposite Park Street Church.
Oct. 6. 4w
DAMON
Beats the World
ON HIS SPECIAL LINES OF
FINE GOODS.
Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots, - \$2.50
Ladies' fine goat Batton Boots, - 2.50
Children's fine goat Batton Boots, - 1.50
Ladies' fine goat Batton Boots, - 2.00
Ladies' fine kid Batton Boots, - 2.50
Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots, - 2.75
Ladies' French kid button and side lace
Boots, - \$3.50 to \$5.00
Gents' best calf Boots, - 3 to 4.50
Gents' Congress & lace Watkinson Boots, - 2.50 to 4
Gents' Button Boots, - 5.00
These are not Cheap Qualities, but the
Best Work and Stock.
Satisfaction given if any price poor
with little wear.

The subscriber's 25 years experience in buying
and selling none but good fitting and good wearing
BOOTS AND SHOES, is in marked contrast with the
ignorance and unreliability of two-thirds of the
Boot and Shoe Retailers, who neither know nor
care whether a shoe be good or poor, so long as the
sale is made. Call and be satisfied at
DAMON'S,
25 & 28 Essex Street,
BOSTON. (O. H. A. & H. R. A.)
Sept. 15. 3m

THE BRYANT & STRATTON
COMMERCIAL
SCHOOL
608 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON.
This School is designed to give to pupils of either
sex the BEST and most THOROUGH preparation
for the study of the Law, Medicine, and other
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H. E. HERBARD,
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BREAKFAST CEREALS
White Wheat, Oat Meal,
Barley Food, Maizelina.
Very desirable for FAMILIES, HOTELS, HOS-
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Barley Food and Oat Meal. The most Nutritious,
and easily digested. Sold in all the best
Stores. Most Economical of any Food. The
most palatable and most nourishing. Prepared
in the most perfect manner. For sale by all first
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The Cereals Manufacturing Co.,
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Ladies!
THE undersigned wishes to inform the La-
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Dress-Making Establishment,
in the New Hotel known as the
"ROBERTSON HOUSE,"
where she will be pleased to suit all the Ladies
who may favor her with their patronage.
MRS. F. A. LAPHAM,
Formerly of Boston.
Quincy, May 5. if

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Neatly Done at this Office.

WILMOT'S,
263 Washington Street,
BOSTON.
MEN'S
WINTER
OVERCOATS,
OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE,
From \$6 to \$25 each.
MEN'S
BUSINESS SUITS,
From \$6 to \$20.
MEN'S PANTALOONS,
From \$1.75 to 5.
Boys' Clothing.
BOYS' SUITS,
AGE 3 TO 10 YEARS.
\$2.50 to \$7.
BOYS' SUITS,
AGE 10 TO 15 YEARS.
\$4.00 to \$10.
YOUNG MEN'S
NOBBY OVERCOATS
\$10 to \$20.
BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 3 to 10 years,
\$4 to \$8.
BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 8 to 15 years,
\$4 to \$12.

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Pants from Measure, \$5.
Overcoats from Measure, \$20.
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FALL OVERCOATS FROM MEASURE, \$15.
Every garment we sell is of our own
manufacture, and fully warranted.
Goods marked in plain figures, and no devia-
tion in price.

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263 Washington St., Boston.
Sept. 29. 12w
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Is daily adding to his Stock a FULL LINE of
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Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags
And Umbrellas.
All of which he is selling at prices to corre-
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GEO. SAVILLE.
Quincy, Sept. 16. if

PAPER HANGING!!
J. W. McGALLIE.
ALL Orders left at the store of Keating &
Spear, Washington Street, or P. O. Box
425, will receive prompt attention.
Quincy, April 8. if

H. FRENCH, JR.,
House and Sign Painter,
IN EVERY VARIETY.
Washington Street, Quincy.
Feb. 10. if
IRA LITCHFIELD,
Carpenter and Builder,
PEARL STREET,
SOUTH QUINCY.
Feb. 14. if

Pure Cider Vinegar,
30 cents per gallon,
For sale by HENRY CHUBBUCK.
—ALSO—
Two Express Wagons,
AND HARNESSES.
One Large Ice Chest, Metal Bench, Scales,
and everything needed for fitting up a Provi-
sion Store.
At house near Universal Church.
Quincy, Aug. 11. if

Job Printing
Neatly Done at this Office.

Poetry.
Be Happy as you Can.
This life is not all sunshine,
Nor is it yet all showers,
But storms and calms alternate,
As thorns among the flowers.
And while we seek the roses,
The thorns fall off we scan,
Still let us, though they wound us,
Be happy as we can.
This life has heavy crosses
As well as joys to share,
And griefs and disappointments
Which joy and I must bear.
Yet, if Misfortune's Lava
Entombs Hope's dearest plan,
Let us, with what is left,
Be happy as we can.
The sum of our enjoyment
Is made of little things,
As oft the broadest rivers,
Are formed from smallest springs.
By treasuring small waters
The rivers reach their span;
So we increase our pleasures,
Enjoying what we can.
There may be burning deserts
Through which our feet must go,
But there are pleasant oases
Where pleasant palm-trees grow.
And if we may not follow
The path our hearts would plan,
Let us make all around us
As happy as we can.
Perchance we may not climb with
Ambition to its goal,
Still let us answer "Present,"
When duty calls the roll.
And whatever our appointment,
Be nothing less than Man,
And cheerful in submission,
Be happy as you can.

Receipts, Wit, &c.
QUINCY JELLY. Slice the quinces
without either paring or coring. Put
them into a preserving kettle and just
cover with water; put over the fire and
boil until soft. Remove from the stove
and strain off the liquor. To every gal-
lon allow four pounds of white sugar,
and boil very fast until it becomes a stiff
jelly.
CRAB APPLE JELLY. Cut out the
eyes and stalks of the apples, halve them,
and put in a preserving kettle, with
enough water to prevent burning; cook
until soft; then strain through a sieve,
and afterward through a muslin bag;
to every pound of liquor put one pound
and a quarter of sugar; boil gently for
twenty minutes.
INVESTIGATING BATH. A teaspoonful
or more of borax thrown into the bath
tub while bathing will communicate a
velvety softness to the water, and at the
same time invigorate and rest the bath-
er; persons troubled with nervousness
or wakeful nights, will find this kind of
bath a great benefit.
Editor Ames of the Christian
Register, himself an experienced pastor,
says: "When your pastor asks you to
harness up in the parish team this fall
don't shrink; don't kick over the traces;
don't back or balk. Take right hold
and pull your share. If you can only
pull a pound, remember that every pound
tells."
A lady in a menagerie, being
asked why she so closely scanned the
elephant with her opera glass, said she
was looking for the keyhole of his trunk.
"The worn will turn." Quite so;
but the Italian organ-grinders are not
aware of it, or assuredly they would im-
prove him into their service.—Fanny
Folks.
A mole on the face may be re-
moved by repeating applications of col-
ored iodine.
"Oh, dear," said she, sweeping
away with her broom, "What shall I
do? Here it is 11 o'clock, and I haven't
this room swept, the beds are not made,
and the breakfast dishes are yet to be
washed. Oh, dear, was ever woman so
much pressed for time as I am?" Then
she suddenly stopped, leaned on her
broom, and listened for half an hour
trying to catch the points of a quarrel
which was going on between a married
couple in the next door house. The
study of feminine character is a hard
one.
A penniless Chicago girl has
opened a barber shop as a last resort.
Mrs. Partington says that few
persons suffer from suggestions of the
brain now-a-days.
A kind-hearted clergyman asked
a convict how he came to be in jail.
The fellow answered, with tears in his
eyes, that he was coming home one night
and sat down to rest and fell asleep.—
While in that unconscious condition the
county jail was built around him, and
when he awoke the jailer refused to let
him out.
"Say, mister," said a newsboy to
a man with a high shirt collar, "how do
you manage to spit over that collar?
Do you use a ladder?"
It is worth while to learn to say
no; but it is not worth while to snap it
out, dog-fashion.
It makes a great difference whether
our glasses are used over or under the
nose.
Somebody says: "Every failure
is a step to success." This will explain
why the oftener some men fail the
richer they become.—Morristown Herald.

Miscellany.
STORY OF A TRUE LOVER.
"He made love neither with roses,
nor with apples, nor with locks of hair;"
he did not know the meaning of "seren-
nade," nor did he ever in all his life
write a love-verse. I do not know that
he thought Sarah's eyebrows any more
beautiful because they were dark and
finely-arched, than if they had been
light and crooked and thin; and yet,
truer lover, more chivalrous soul than
John Slocum never lived. All day in
the field, ploughing or sowing or reap-
ing, his thought was of the happiness of
the fair, pale woman at home, who sat
in the ingle-nook, mending the family
linen, or patiently bearing the temp-
ers of John's mother, in whose house
she had lived since she was a little child.
Sarah Stenhouse was twenty-five years
old, and ten years before, while yet the
bound servant of Mrs. Slocum, had met
the fate that had made her lame, and so
shaken the foundation of life that she
could never know rugged health again.
She had been a wonderfully sunny ele-
ment in the Slocum family, and John,
who was five years older than she, had
never known, since the first night she
came, when he cracked hickory-nuts for
her by the kitchen fire, what it was not
to love her. In the harvest-dances, no
one tripped so lightly over the old barn
floor as Sarah. She rippled over with
mirth, and was never so happy as when
making others so. Not a girl of her age
in the county could spin as many knots
of yarn in a day as she; and her "dum-
ble-and-twisted" was finer and even
more in demand at the stores, where
such home-products were "dickered,"
than any other offered.
"Whoever got Sarah Stenhouse for
a wife," the old women said, "would get
a prize;" and more than one young
man had asked her, before her fifteenth
birthday, if she would marry him when
she should be of age and free to leave
Mrs. Slocum.
But Sarah always said, "There's the
time enough for thinking of that when I
am of age"; and, notwithstanding Ma'am
Slocum's uneven temper and occasional
injustice, she had no idea of going away
when she was free of her bondage. She
knew well how good a home she had, take
it all in all, and she loved the Slocums
as if they had been mother and brother.
The summer Sarah was fifteen years
old yielded a noble harvest, and great
rejoicing was had among the farmers.
Thanks were given in the churches,
merry-makings held at the farmhouses,
and finally a "harvest home" was held
at the Slocum barn because it was the
largest in the township. When the
gaiety was at its height, Sarah received
the hurt that made her a life-long in-
valid. For many weeks she lay hovering
between life and death, and finally life
overcame death by such small odds that
for a long time, it seemed but a poor
boon.
The neighbor people said, "Now, of
course, Sarah'll have to go on the coun-
try. Ma'am Slocum's queer, anyhow,
and at best it couldn't be expected that
a widow woman like her should be
burdened with a helpless thing like
Sarah."
But when the matter was broached
to the widow, she answered, tartly,
enough, but with tears in her eyes, "Do
you take me for a heathen? Sarah's my
daughter from this out. There wasn't
such a girl in the county as she, and
I'd look well putting her in the poor-
house because it has seemed good to the
Lord to lay his hand heavy on her.
His hand's heavy enough on the child
without any of my help. Folks are
mighty ready with this sort of assist-
ance."
So Sarah staid at the farm-house, and
learned every day to know better, and to
love the sweet heart that lay beneath
the rough exterior of her adopted
mother, and had never-failing patience with
her frettings and scoldings and mani-
fold queer ways.
When some one spoke to Sarah of it,
she said, "Why shouldn't I be patient
with her queer ways? Wasn't it one of
her queer ways to keep me and love me
and make me her child, when I could be
little better than a clog and a burden?"
So the two grew together, a great ten-
derness fostered in the woman's heart,
and gratitude in the girl's. John was
always a good son, but from the date of
Sarah's misfortune he seemed to develop
new excellences. He neglected no duty
about the farm, but at the same time he
made his presence felt in a hundred new
ways in the house.
"He's as deft as a woman," his moth-
er said, "and sometimes I seem scarcely
to miss Sarah's help. I don't know how
he finds time to do it, but John just
takes the left of the work off from me."
And so he did, and this is the way he
showed his love. When the women
arose in the morning, the fire was made
and the kettle singing; wood enough for
the day at the door; the cows were milked,
and the table lifted out to its proper
place ready to be set for breakfast.
And so ten years had passed, and Sarah's
health slowly came back to her, but the
cruelty could never be laid aside.
Mrs. Slocum thought but not wrongly,
that there wasn't such another pair of
her children to be found in the parish.
John at thirty was a splendid man, and

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New York Fashions.
MILLINERY. We are rushing after
satin and plush with the avidity of a
widower "along in years," who seeks to
fascinate a girl of sixteen. Velvet is
classed as thoroughly respectable, but
who wants to dress "respectably?"
We want something stylish,—some-
thing which is new, and which will cause
Mrs. A.—over the way to look at us
and feel jealous. In millinery, especi-
ally, sparkles the *clair de lune* jet. 'Tis
everywhere,—placed on plain founda-
tions, brilliant on aligettes, hanging as
petals, bestrewn on leaves, glistening on
moss, peeping forth on braids, gleaming
on buckles, and giving out changing
hues with every change of light.
Shapes are various, with square or
slightly pointed crowns, or narrow brims,
and foliage is massed in heavy montures,
occasionally lightened by flowers.
COSTUMES. Princess polonaises lead,
but close-fitting basques and overskirts
are not discarded; or again we find the
princess dress all in one.
One of the handsomest designs in the
last named style is the "Davenport"
dress, having the front draped across,
quite low down, and a plaited train in-
serted about midway down the back,
producing a fan-like effect.
The "Czarina" polonaise is also novel
and distinguished, being a unique de-
sign, in which the waist, both back and
front is partially shirred and confined in
a deep yoke.
The "Camille" basque is a distingue
design, tight-fitting, with the trimming
arranged to simulate a vest, and the
neck cut low and shawl shaped.
The "Juanita" overskirt is irregular
in arrangement, and very stylish, the
front being disposed on the right, in-
serted diagonally, while the left side
is plain and lapping over the right at the
belt. The closely clinging drapey at
present fashionable, demands a support
from the dress other than that afforded
by the ordinary underskirt, and especial-
ly we find different kinds of tulle de-
signed, which combine both elegance
and comfort.
Perfection has been reached in the
"Queen," which, besides being very
stylishly shaped, possesses a durability
and elasticity, combined with a gossam-
er lightness, never before equalled.—
It is entirely new, made without pocket-
cases, buttons, or other metallic de-
vices, and the tapes are sewed to the
wires by a back-stitch sewing machine
by the ordinary undertaker, and especial-
ly of novel construction, made especially
for this purpose. One will be sent post
paid, on receipt of \$1.50, by J. L. Colby
& Co., 425 Broome street.
LUCY CARTER.

A Sudden Cure.
A melancholy woman lay in sickness
on her bed, and in a faint and broken
voice to her sad husband said: "Dear
David, when my earthly form has turned
to lifeless clay, oh wail an' weep a little
while, nor throw yourself away. I know
a woman kind and true, on whom you
may depend, oh! marry Aramilla Jones
—she is my dearest friend." "Yes,
Hannah, I have waited long to speak of
this before; for Aramilla Jones an' I
have talked the matter o'er." "Then
you an' Aramilla Jones have been too
smart an' sly; I trow I was into the
wedding, I'm not again' to die!" Her
dark eyes flashed, her strength returned;
she left her bed of pain; a week had
scarcely passed away when she was well
again.
A Ducking Stool.
In the crypt of Warwick Church, the
mighty ribbed arches of which spring
from one enormous pier, there is an ar-
ticle which has long gone out of use—
whether advantageously or not I shall
not venture to say—a ducking stool, made
for the public discipline of scolding wo-
men. This is one of the only two, I be-
lieve that remain in England. It con-
sists of a strong oak frame on low
wheels, from which a seat rises upon an
inclined beam, that works upon a pivot
or axle. The stool was lashed into the
seat, and then the "institution" was
drawn to the river side at a convenient
deep place, and rolled in until the patient
sat just above the water. Then the land
end of the beam was tipped up, and con-
sequently the other end with its lading,
went down under the water, where it
was allowed to remain not too long, and
was then raised for breathing time.—
This process was repeated as often as it
was thought beneficial to the lady under
treatment, or necessary for the peace of
her family and neighborhood. Whether
husbands ever interceded for wives thus
disciplined, as wives do now sometimes
for husbands who are unreasonably in-
terfered with in the gentle sport of
blackening their eyes, or kicking their ribs,
is not recorded.—Galaxy.

AUTUMN LEAVES. Press the leaves
carefully between newspapers, taking
care to avoid lapping one over another.
The next day take out the leaves and
dry the papers. Put the leaves again in
press, and next day repeat the drying
process. This should be done three or
four times until the moisture is extracted
from the leaves. This is troublesome,
but the result will be brilliant. If the
face of each leaf after the first pressing,
is brushed over with sulphuric acid, di-
luted one-half with water, the color will
be still brighter. Do not wax nor var-

Make the Best of It.
Don't grumble and growl over the
evils you cannot cure. There are cer-
tain trials that must be borne; fretting
won't help them, previous worrying in
anticipation won't stay their coming—
Crying and moaning won't make the
trials of life any lighter or the rough
pains any smoother. Don't fix your
mind on your dark troubles, and persis-
tently see no daylight anywhere; if there
always, but you let black clouds of
discontent overshadow you and shut
it from view.
Pick up your burden, whatever it is,
carry it bravely; assume the virtue of
cheerfulness if you have it not, and show
the world a smiling face even if the
back bends and aches with the heavy
load. Remember how the brave little
off-quoted Spartan hero carried himself,
brightly smiling, while the wretched lit-
tle beast gnawed and clawed his un-
finishing side. Shall a Pagan show more
fortitude than a Christian who has di-
vine help to patiently bear the ills of
life?
Fretting takes the flesh off the bones,
and worry gives a care-worn expression
that makes even a young face look old.
So carry your troubles lightly, ladies, if
you want to keep your good looks—
"Take up arms against a sea of trouble,"
and make the best of everything.
Remember Aunt Chloe and her sweet
philosophy, and "think on your sweet
marriage, honey." Don't be forever sum-
ming up your griefs, but strike a balance
and set your joys against your sorrows.
There is more sunshine than cloudy
weather, take it altogether, in nearly
every one's life. So sun yourself in the
bright spots and pass quickly over the
dark lines; think of the "good time
coming," and beat the transient evils of
your lot heroically.
The best thing out—a conflagra-

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nish the leaves, as it gives them an un-
natural gloss. They can be made into
sprays or garlands by means of the fine
wire which florists use, twisted around
their stems.

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With Supplement.

SATURDAY, OCT. 27, 1877.

Short communications and items of news
earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

The Catholic Fair.

Notwithstanding the hard times, the
Fair going on in the basement of St.
John's Church, has so far been a suc-
cess. The attendance during the last
week was good. On Wednesday even-
ing there was quite a crowd present to
listen to some fine singing by Miss Car-
ney of Boston, Mr. Delahunt the well-
known basso, and others.—Mr. John
McGrath, organist of St. John's Church,
directing. The tables are well furnished
and beautifully decorated; the ladies
spare no pains to make them attractive.

LIST OF TABLES.

No. 1. Young Women's Society.—Misses
Maria Flynn and Kate Larkin.
On this table the principal articles are
as follows:—Silver tea service, black
walnut chamber set, marble top; sil-
ver castor, lamp, picture of the Imma-
culate Conception, chest of tea, large
photograph of Father Francis, cir-
cular clock, centre table.

No. 2. Altar Boys' Table.—Misses
Kate C. Sullivan and Isabella Gregory.
A silk dress, China tete-a-tete set, Bible,
gold cross and chain, mirror, barrel
of flour, velvet rug, 1-2 doz. shirts, toilet
set, an antique of the first Easter
Dawn, taken from the original by J. K.
Thompson, R.A., an elegant embroidered
child's dress. The fire screen on this
table is not on chances.

No. 3. Church Table.—Miss Margare-
t Murray. Pair of lace curtains, par-
lor stove, rep. lounge, statue of Our
Lady of Lourdes, a lamp, pair of blan-
kets, set of china, child's china set,
damask table cloth, gold ring, a present
from the Sandwich Islands, piece of cot-
ton cloth, smoking set.

No. 4. Sunday School Table.—Miss
Mary Goodhue and Mrs. Agnes Jones.
Gent's gold watch, dinner set, tea set,
silver castor, marble-top table, set of sil-
ver knives and forks, worked quilt, knit-
ted quilt, suit of gentlemen's clothes.

No. 5. Married Women's Society.—
Mrs. B. Hordian and Mrs. J. Dunn.
Lady's gold watch, oil painting of the
Holy Family, pair lace curtains, carpet,
box of tea, Moore's poems.

No. 6. Temperance Table.—Mrs. W.
Webb, Mrs. E. W. Connor, Mrs. Trainor.
Silver cake basket, china tea set, lamp,
8-day clock, cradle quilt, set of knives
and forks, two oil paintings.

The Fair will close in about two weeks.
The polls on the lady's gold watch will
close on Saturday, Nov. 10th. The Ca-
dets will have their final competitive drill
on Wednesday evening next. The St.
John's choir give a concert this (Sat-
urday) evening.

BIRTHS. It has been suggested to us,
that our paper would be more complete
if it contained a weekly record of births.
We should be pleased to conform with
this suggestion if our friends would
furnish us with the items. No doubt
that many may feel a little delicacy
about giving this news because it has
not been customary, but in most of the
live towns in the State, a weekly record
of births precedes the marriages and
deaths. Now as we desire to keep the
Patriot up to the times and would like
to give the most interesting items of
news transpiring in the town, we ask
our friends kindly to send to this office
the births that occur in each household
and we will gladly give them a place in
the columns of their home journal.

SAD AFFLICTION. Mr. Joseph W.
Lombard and wife have suffered a severe
affliction the present week. Their only
child, a bright boy of some nine sum-
mers, has fallen a victim to that dread
disease, diphtheria. We unite with their
many friends in offering our sympathy
in this sad bereavement. Mourn
not without hope, dear parents, for a
loving Heavenly Father has called your
darling boy to a more glorious world, and
your angel Willie will some day welcome
you to that land, where there will be no
more partings, and no more tears.

PERSONAL. Walter W. Slade of 105
Milk street, formerly of this town, was
presented recently with an elegant
gold watch and chain, valued at \$200,
by a few of his many friends, as a token
of their appreciation of his many esti-
mable qualities. The presentation re-
marks were made by Mr. W. S. O'Brien,
and were responded to in fitting terms
by the recipient.

MURDEROUS ASSAULT. A drunken
rogue occurred on Water street, last Sun-
day morning, when a man named John
Birmingham, from East Weymouth,
stabbed John Haggerty of this town,
twenty-seven times around the back and
shoulder blades. None of the wounds
were dangerous. Birmingham has not
yet been arrested.

ACCIDENT. Last Wednesday after-
noon a pupil of Adams Academy, named
William H. Allen, from Greenfield, had
the small bone in one of his legs broken
while playing football. There was a close
match game, and young Allen came in
collision with another player.

"The Social season is opening, and
we would remind our friends that we de-
sire them to send us all items of society
news and social entertainments. These
brief reports may seem trivial to some,
but they go to make up an interesting
record of passing and impending events.

Local Items.

There was quite a lively flurry of
snow, the first of the season, last Mon-
day afternoon.

The Democrats meet at the Town
Hall on Wednesday evening next to
nominate candidates for Representatives to
General Court.

The ladies connected with the
Universalist Society, at their Harvest
Festival last week, netted about \$225.

Louis Congdon, Esq., sells at
auction this afternoon the beautiful and
convenient residence of Mr. W. B. Wor-
ster, on President's Hill.

An owner is wanted for a gold-
headed cane.

Wednesday was a lovely autumnal
day. The weather was all that could be
desired.

The sad sight was witnessed in
this town recently of two little boys lying
drunk in the gutter on Water street.

The Misses Beale, have gone to
Los Angeles, California to spend the
winter with the Rev. John D. Wells.

The Republicans hold their caucus
next Friday evening at the Town Hall.

Several flocks of wild geese have
lately passed over our village on their
Southern pilgrimage.

Henry G. Pratt is making an ad-
dition to the stores occupied by Whitney
& Nash and John O. Holden, on the
John Brisler estate. The front of each
store is being carried out even with the
sidewalk.

The Rev. Mr. Norton, who was a
delegate from the Norfolk Conference to
the National Council at Detroit, re-
turned home on Thursday forenoon.

Among the divorces granted the
present week before the Supreme Ju-
dicial court of Boston was one between
Margery W. Ogden and Dr. W. M. Og-
den, formerly of this town. It was granted
on the plea of cruel and abusive
treatment.

Mr. Luke Rideout has recently
completed a very good job of paving
around the town pump, in front of
Robertson's block on Hancock street.

A match game of football was
played on Wednesday afternoon on the
Academy grounds, between the second
eleven of Adams Academy and the first
eleven of Noble school of Boston. The
result after three half hours was in favor
of the Adams Academy by four goals
and five touchdowns.

The pretty Swiss cottage near the
depot was bid off at \$4,600 last Saturday.

Guy & Brothers invites our citi-
zens to call at their store 33 Bedford
street and purchase some of their beau-
tiful breakfast, dinner and tea sets.

Their crockery store is one of the largest
and best in the city.

Holbrook & Fox will sell a parcel
of land in Squantum, on the twenty-
first day of November, belonging to
Alexander Pope.

Two valuable house lots on the
corner of Greenfield and Putnam streets
will be sold at auction this noon, at 12
o'clock.

Hollen's store was crowded last
Thursday evening, at the hour adver-
tised for the sale of tickets to the lecture
course.

George H. Locke invites the no-
tice of those who have failed to pay their
taxes.

Democratic Conventions.

The Second Councillor Convention
was held Thursday in Temperance Hall,
Dedham. Dr. W. S. Pattee of Quincy
was elected President, and John D. Flood
of Randolph, Secretary. A Committee
on Credentials reported 114 delegates.
On motion of Geo. H. Hobart of
Quincy, Hon. Wm. Aspinwall of Brook-
line was unanimously nominated for
Councillor. A District Committee was
chosen as follows: Geo. A. Shaw, Bos-
ton; Dr. W. S. Pattee, Quincy; W. H.
Fisher, Dedham; Geo. F. Murray, Taun-
ton; Henry E. Fales, Milford. It was
voted to hold the next Councillor Con-
vention in Boston, after which the con-
vention dissolved.

The Senatorial Convention for the
Second Norfolk District was held in
Dedham Thursday afternoon. Hon. Wm.
Aspinwall of Brookline was Chairman,
and Mr. D. G. Hill of Dedham Secretary.
On motion of Mr. Bird, Mr. Bird,
Esq., of Canton, 31 votes, and John R.
Bullard, Esq., of Dedham, 29. The nomi-
nation of Mr. Morse was made unani-
mously.

The Norfolk County Convention was
held the same afternoon at Dedham. It
was called to order by Hon. Wm. Aspin-
wall of Brookline, and he was elected
President. Mr. D. G. Hill of Dedham was
chosen Secretary. Hon. F. W. Bird
of Walpole made a stirring and effective
speech. On motion of Mr. Bird, Mr.
Augustus B. Endicott of Dedham was
nominated for Sheriff. Jas. M. Freeman
of Franklin was nominated for County
Commissioner. Other nominations were
made as follows: District Attorney, J. E.
Cotter of Hyde Park; Special Commis-
sioners, Isaac W. Folger of Weymouth,
Zachariah L. Bicknell of Weymouth,
Commissioners of Insolvency, John F.
Kilton of Randolph, John G. Hill of
Dedham, W. G. A. Pattee of Quincy.
The convention then dissolved.

GOOD TIME. A large number of
young ladies and gents gathered at the
hall of the Belknap Brass Band, on Cem-
etry street, West Quincy, on Thursday
evening last, invitations having been
extended them by the above named band.
The hall was well filled with the elite
of West Quincy and vicinity. Mr. Hen-
ry C. Brown, of Boston, the leader of
the band, entertained the audience with
one of his excellent solos. Mr. Seth
Dewey delivered one of his good-na-
tured addresses, ending it by reminding
the participants, that the members of
the band were soon to hold a fair, and
he hoped that those present would help
make it a success.

The dancing was kept up until about
12 o'clock, and those who participated,
were, no doubt, well pleased, as the
Floor Director, Mr. Wymen B. Nightin-
gale, did all in his power to conduce to
the pleasure of the party.

At a Prohibition Convention held
in Braintree, on Thursday, J. Ward
Childs, of Braintree, was nominated for
Senator.—First Norfolk District.

Handsome Studio.

Mr. A. Frank
Russell, at his elegant new studio, is tak-
ing some beautiful photographs, which
give the greatest satisfaction for their
excellent, life-like expression. As an ar-
tist it will be found hard to find his su-
perior, and his rooms are very inviting.
A new style of picture, called the "Prom-
enade Photograph," is now being taken
at this studio. He will be pleased to
have the public call and examine his pic-
tures, at his studio on Chestnut street.

A very interesting puzzle may be
found on the fourth page, and we would
be pleased to have our readers puzzle
their brains over it, and send in answers,
which we will be pleased to publish next
week.

DISTRICT COURT. Weekly budget of
cases disposed of at this retreat:
Caleb Hayden, of Braintree, for the
larceny of one goose, the property of
Lewis T. Stetson. Discharged.

Nathan A. Durgin, for an assault on
Elihu A. Nightingale. Found guilty,
and fined \$25 and costs. Appealed.

Henry Jensen, of Milton, for the lar-
ceny of a quart of nuts, the property of
C. M. S. Churchill. Found guilty, and
fined \$3 and costs. Appealed.

Patrick Joyce, of Milton, for being
drunk. Fined \$3 and costs.

COUNCILLOR. Hon. Ezra S. Conant
of Randolph, was nominated for Councillor,
in the Second Councillor District, at the
Prohibition Convention held on Monday
last.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION. The First
Norfolk Senatorial District Republican
Convention, was held at Braintree on
Thursday and organized by the choice
of the Hon. J. White Belcher of Ran-
dolph as Chairman and the Hon. E. C.
Monk as Secretary. The Committee on
Credentials reported eight towns repre-
sented by twenty-nine delegates. On
an informal ballot H. F. Barker of Quincy
had seventeen of the twenty-nine
votes and was declared nominated by
acclamation for Senator. The Hon. F.
A. Hobart of Braintree then addressed
the Convention, paying a tribute to the
memory of the late J. D. Whichever
of Quincy, who represented the district
this year in the Senate.

For the Patriot.

FACTS.

The cause of temperance and prohibi-
tion would be speedily advanced were it
not for the political bargaining for votes
by the liquor interest with men seeking
offices which they are unfit to fill, either
with honor or credit. The compensation
or inducement generally held up as pur-
chasing power is,—that licenses to sell
rum shall be granted. It is useless for
the private citizen to undertake to en-
force any law satisfactorily, with the au-
thorities working against him, in the
interest of the law breaker.

Selectmen who favor drum selling un-
der license, are always harping about
want of evidence. I affirm that the Se-
lectionmen of the town, who have the com-
plete control of the police force, are one
to enforce the laws, and I believe that
every law abiding citizen in the commu-
nity would uphold them if they thought
they were earnest in their good endeav-
ors.

The advancement of the cause of
temperance receives its greatest check
from the foreign voters, led in most
cases by the Yankee office-seeking aspi-
rant, whose prejudices and sentiments are
known to be sound from the stand-
point of the rumrunner. How many of the
intelligent portion of the foreign element
can be deluded by liquor interest
politicians, has always been hard for me
to divine. In towns like Quincy, where
they have the controlling power in the
democratic party, they are seldom al-
lowed any political position above con-
stable. If nominated at the caucuses for
any other office, to tickle them, they are
sure to be defeated at the polls by the
legitimacy of the Yankee friends, who
lead them with the liquor sellers' stand-
ards as tools to pry themselves into
office. I think I can safely say that nine-
tenths of all the poverty, crime, misery,
and disorder in our midst among the
foreign population can be traced to the
influence of the drum shop. The conse-
quence of any father must be degraded
when, having a drunken son or daugh-
ter, he can go to the polls and deliber-
ately vote for license, which always tends
to free rum selling. However, nothing
will astonish us after hearing of a father
in this town who, having been driven
and foremost in his advocacy of license, for-
bid his son's visiting places that he had
used strenuous efforts to get licensed.

It reminds me of an extract from a
letter written me once by a member of
a Reform Club that was broken up by
drum shop temptation. He says, "It is
the old story over again: Open grog shops
at nearly every corner, and many went
back to their old habits and cast their
votes with the rum party, to legalize the
business that caused their ruin."

Thank God there are men in the
Union where even the democratic party
do not make open advocacy of the
license question! "That State is Maine,"
where it is almost impossible to get a
glass of liquor as a beverage, even in her
cities.

HENRY H. FAXON.

Call at Ewell & Co's, and see the
Marvellous Safety Lamp and Surprise
Burner. Also some new style brackets,
and pretty flower-pots.

Sunday Services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. At 10.30 A.
M. the pastor will deliver the second
sermon of the People's Course. Subject—
The old Testament and Christianity.
Sunday school immediately following.

Meeting for Prayer and Conference in
the parsonage, every Friday evening,
commencing at 7.30.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at
9.30. Morning service at 10.50 by Rev.
R. R. Shippen.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AT WOL-
LASTON HEIGHTS. The Pastor will
preach the second of his discourses to
young men and women in the evening
at 7.12 o'clock. The church will give
special attention to the days (Oct. 28th
and 29th) of united prayer for Sunday
Schools.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. A. E.
Briggs from Boston will speak to-morrow,
at Temperance hall at 2.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching
at 10.30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sab-
bath School and Bible Class at 11.45 A.
M. At 7 P. M. the Pastor will give
the second of a series of Sabbath Even-
ing Lectures to the Young People.
Theme,—Profanity.

Prayer and Conference meeting Fri-
day evening.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30
A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH.
Preaching at 10.12 A. M. Subject—
Temperance.—Christian citizenship.
followed by Sabbath School in the evening
for Bible study at 3 P. M. Praise Ser-
vice at 7, followed by Sermon.

Narrow-Gauge Railroad.

About fifty persons from Hingham,
Scituate and Weymouth assembled at
Young's Hotel, Tuesday to consider the
subject of constructing a narrow-gauge
railroad from Boston through Quincy,
Weymouth, Hingham, Hull, Cohasset,
Scituate, Marshfield and to some con-
venient point near Captain's Hill in the
town of Duxbury. John D. Winnet
presided and W. B. French was chosen
Clerk. Remarks were made by several
individuals representing the respective
towns and in favor of constructing the
road. A committee of nine were ap-
pointed to form the organization of the
company as follows: B. C. Bartlett and
S. T. Snow, Boston; John Federhen,
Quincy; M. M. Hodgman, Weymouth;
George Cushing, Hingham; Washington
Brown, Cohasset; E. J. Jenkins, Scitua-
te; Frederic Ames, Marshfield; Oliver
S. Briggs, Duxbury. The same commit-
tee were appointed a committee to solicit
subscriptions. The Hon. George A.
Shaw addressed the meeting. He said
he was a native of Plymouth County,
and was desirous of seeing such a road
built. He believed it would be a paying
investment, the same as the Old Colony
Railroad. Mr. Shaw offered the follow-
ing resolution:

Resolved, That as the sentiment of
this meeting as regards the proposed
Boston, Nantasket and Plymouth Shore
Railroad from Boston to Duxbury, we
unanimously agree that the public in-
terest in the proposed line demands the
construction of said road, and that we
pledge our hearty co-operation in the
interests of the enterprise to its comple-
tion.

For the Patriot.

FACTS.

The cause of temperance and prohibi-
tion would be speedily advanced were it
not for the political bargaining for votes
by the liquor interest with men seeking
offices which they are unfit to fill, either
with honor or credit. The compensation
or inducement generally held up as pur-
chasing power is,—that licenses to sell
rum shall be granted. It is useless for
the private citizen to undertake to en-
force any law satisfactorily, with the au-
thorities working against him, in the
interest of the law breaker.

Selectmen who favor drum selling un-
der license, are always harping about
want of evidence. I affirm that the Se-
lectionmen of the town, who have the com-
plete control of the police force, are one
to enforce the laws, and I believe that
every law abiding citizen in the commu-
nity would uphold them if they thought
they were earnest in their good endeav-
ors.

The advancement of the cause of
temperance receives its greatest check
from the foreign voters, led in most
cases by the Yankee office-seeking aspi-
rant, whose prejudices and sentiments are
known to be sound from the stand-
point of the rumrunner. How many of the
intelligent portion of the foreign element
can be deluded by liquor interest
politicians, has always been hard for me
to divine. In towns like Quincy, where
they have the controlling power in the
democratic party, they are seldom al-
lowed any political position above con-
stable. If nominated at the caucuses for
any other office, to tickle them, they are
sure to be defeated at the polls by the
legitimacy of the Yankee friends, who
lead them with the liquor sellers' stand-
ards as tools to pry themselves into
office. I think I can safely say that nine-
tenths of all the poverty, crime, misery,
and disorder in our midst among the
foreign population can be traced to the
influence of the drum shop. The conse-
quence of any father must be degraded
when, having a drunken son or daugh-
ter, he can go to the polls and deliber-
ately vote for license, which always tends
to free rum selling. However, nothing
will astonish us after hearing of a father
in this town who, having been driven
and foremost in his advocacy of license, for-
bid his son's visiting places that he had
used strenuous efforts to get licensed.

It reminds me of an extract from a
letter written me once by a member of
a Reform Club that was broken up by
drum shop temptation. He says, "It is
the old story over again: Open grog shops
at nearly every corner, and many went
back to their old habits and cast their
votes with the rum party, to legalize the
business that caused their ruin."

Thank God there are men in the
Union where even the democratic party
do not make open advocacy of the
license question! "That State is Maine,"
where it is almost impossible to get a
glass of liquor as a beverage, even in her
cities.

HENRY H. FAXON.

Call at Ewell & Co's, and see the
Marvellous Safety Lamp and Surprise
Burner. Also some new style brackets,
and pretty flower-pots.

Sunday Services.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. At 10.30 A.
M. the pastor will deliver the second
sermon of the People's Course. Subject—
The old Testament and Christianity.
Sunday school immediately following.

Meeting for Prayer and Conference in
the parsonage, every Friday evening,
commencing at 7.30.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at
9.30. Morning service at 10.50 by Rev.
R. R. Shippen.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AT WOL-
LASTON HEIGHTS. The Pastor will
preach the second of his discourses to
young men and women in the evening
at 7.12 o'clock. The church will give
special attention to the days (Oct. 28th
and 29th) of united prayer for Sunday
Schools.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. A. E.
Briggs from Boston will speak to-morrow,
at Temperance hall at 2.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching
at 10.30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sab-
bath School and Bible Class at 11.45 A.
M. At 7 P. M. the Pastor will give
the second of a series of Sabbath Even-
ing Lectures to the Young People.
Theme,—Profanity.

Prayer and Conference meeting Fri-
day evening.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30
A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH.
Preaching at 10.12 A. M. Subject—
Temperance.—Christian citizenship.
followed by Sabbath School in the evening
for Bible study at 3 P. M. Praise Ser-
vice at 7, followed by Sermon.

PROBATE COURT. A court of Probate
was held at Hyde Park, on Wednes-
day before Judge White and the follow-
ing wills were approved and administra-
tions granted.

Wills Approved.—Nancy D. Gerald of
Canton, Caroline T. Downes, executrix;
Susannah Hodges of Foxboro, Marcus
P. Hodges, executor; George Silver of
Hyde Park.

Administrations Granted: On the
estates of Vestus Packard of Foxboro,
to James Capen; of Rufus Sherman of
Braintree, to Susan W. Sherman; Leon-
ard W. Brooks of Quincy, to Jennie B.
Brooks. The trustees of the estate of
Ebenezer Francis of Roxbury presented
their account, by which it appeared that
the estate is worth \$3,000.00.

The will of John Lathrop Motley,
which was filed in the Probate office on
Saturday, provides that all his books,
pictures, literary papers, MSS. plate,
jewelry, clothing and other personal
property shall be distributed equally among
his four daughters, Eliza Cobart Ives,
Mary Lathrop Sheridan and Susan M.
S. Motley.

FRESH POND WATER. Prof. Rein-
sen of Leipzig describes some sixty dif-
ferent kinds of animal life found in the
Cochituate Water of Boston, and adds
that Fresh Pond water is still richer in
this respect.

Bertha Von Hillern this week at
Lowell, accomplished the feat of walk-
ing 100 miles in 28 hours having eleven
minutes of that time to spare. The
last mile was made in 13.55. The au-
dience was large and enthusiastic.

Minnesota is building more rail-
roads than any other State in the Union;
has raised nearly twice as much wheat
to the acre as any other State can show;
and in every other respect Minnesota
yields to no other State in the matter of
general prosperity. Let those facts be
contradicted if they can.

By HICHTBORN & CO., Auctioneers and
Real Estate Brokers, 53 Court street, Boston.

SALE.

Will be sold at Public Auction, on SATUR-
DAY, Oct. 27th, at 12 o'clock, M.,
Two Valuable Lots of Land
SITUATED on the corner of Greenfield and
Putnam streets, Quincy, adjoining the
residence of Henry Barker & Sons. These are
the best and most desirable Building Lots in
the Town. Each Lot contains 9405 square feet,
are on elevated ground commanding a fine
view of the Town and Harbor.

This is a rare chance for an investment.
Sale positive. Particulars of the Auctioneers.
Oct. 27.

SEAWEED

FOR SALE, and delivered to any part of
the town, by the subscriber.
Quincy, Oct. 27. WM. G. PRESSCOTT.

WANTED.

A NEAT, capable girl, for general house-
work. Must be a good cook, washer, and
ironer. Apply to E. H. PERKINS,
Quincy, Oct. 27.

TO LET.

TWO LARGE ROOMS, recently occupied
by French & Ross, in Faxon's Block, on
Hancock street, Quincy, to a P. R. street,
at the New Brighton Rooms, or to
Quincy, Oct. 27. HENRY H. FAXON.

TO LET.

HALF A House, five rooms, on
Quincy Place, near the Quincy Ad-
ams Depot. A very pleasant situ-
ation, and reasonable terms. Apply to
for further information, address or apply to
Quincy, Oct. 27. W. W. PENNINGTON.

FURNISHED ROOM.

A LARGE, sunny, furnished Room, with
or without board, to two occupants.
Apply to Mrs. J. H. ROBINSON,
Quincy, Oct. 27. Foster Street.

Your Attention

Is again called to the many ad-
vantages you gain by purchasing
your
BOOTS AND SHOES
—or—
D. B. STETSON.

We buy our goods of the man-
ufacturer, by which means we save
one profit; we also buy for CASH,
and get a discount for it. We
have all our goods warranted, so
that if any should prove not good
we give others in place of them.

Our sales are larger than oth-
ers, and our expenses are less, so
that we can afford to sell at prices
below all others. If you will
call and examine our goods you
will be convinced of the truth of
our assertion. We would give
prices of our goods, but it would
be useless unless you could see
them and judge for yourselves.

Please remember that we keep
Men's and Boys' Socks, all the
different kinds of Dressing; also,
Rubber Soles and Cement, Leath-
er Cement, Rubber Goreing, Cork
Soles and Medicated Soles, which
are very warm and comfortable.
Our rubber goods are of the very
best quality. Rubber and Leath-
er Boots and Shoes REPAIRED
in the best manner and at short
notice.

D. B. STETSON,
Washington Street,
QUINCY.

Poster Printing, Cheap!
At the Patriot Office.

CHAPLAINCY OF THE HOUSE. Rev.
Wm. M. Cornell of Boston, a former
pastor of the Congregational Church in
this town, is recommended for the
chaplaincy of the House of Representa-
tives. He is endorsed by ex-Governor
Gaston, Judge Abbott, Charles Francis
Adams, Marshall P. Wilder and many
other prominent Democrats of this state.

FINE JUNE BUTTER

Poetry.

The Legend of a Broom.

Whether 'tis true I cannot say,
Since it all happened before my day;
But once there lived in a very fine town,
In an elegant house, with a stone front brown,
A beautiful maiden who loved to dress,
Who loved her ease, but not to idleness;
Who loved to flirt, and who loved to dance,
Who loved to smile with her side-long glance.
She went to the parlour on charming morn,
And armed with a broom of golden corn,
She stationed her foot at the open door,
Resolving to conquer all before.

A knight was just passing the stone front
brown;
A knight who had recently come to town;
Dame Gossip had said that he sought a wife,
So straight there were dignified quarrels and strife.

As to which of the maid he should win at last,
The days and the weeks glided swiftly past,
And still he had steadily come to stay;
Not one of the damsels could please his eye;
For one was too dumpy, and one too tall,
And their indolence shocked him most of all.
But just as our maiden, with brush and broom,
Had thrown up the windows to air the room,
The knight passed along on a slow-paced steed,
And turned to look in—a most natural deed.

He had, unware of his gaze, I trow,
Made a halo of dust around her fair white brow.
And still the knight lingered, and loved the more—
She was sweeping his heart as she swept the floor.

Months after they wedded. With joy elate,
He carried her off to his home in state.
The other maid hearing their rivals gain,
They all went to weeping, but swept in vain.
For no other knight ever came that way,
And perhaps they are sweeping for him this day.

Agricultural, &c.

The Canker Worm.

The Massachusetts Ploughman says:
"The best way to stop the canker worm
is to catch the grubs as they crawl up
the trunks of the trees in the latter part
of October, or the early part of Novem-
ber till the ground freezes, and again on
the opening of the ground in April. The
cheapest method is to tack to the trunk
of the tree about two feet from the
ground a strip of coarse tarred paper a
foot wide, and daub this around with
Carolina tar or printer's ink—while the
grubs are running it will need renewing
every day in the afternoon, as the wind
quickly dries the surface, enabling the
grubs to walk over. They run mostly at
night and on cool days, and when very
plenty will sometimes bridge over the
belt of tar with the bodies of those
which are stuck, and thus gain access to
the branches where the eggs are laid.

If a long thaw occurs in winter, thaw-
ing out the frost to the depth of six
inches, the grubs will sometimes start
and will need watching. The tar will
need renewing for about ten days after the
frost fall out in the spring, or until
no more grubs are caught, when the pa-
per bands must be removed and the tar
below them rubbed off with some dry
road dust.

The female grub has no wings and can-
not fly as the male does, and the
females being all stopped by the tar, no
eggs can be laid or worms produced that
year. The expense is trifling except for
labor, and where very large orchards are
to be protected it may be worth con-
sideration whether a gutter of zinc filled
with petroleum would not prove cheaper
as it would only need attention about
once a week. This is made square and
attached to a box of wood, the space be-
tween the box and the trunk being filled
with fine hay or tan bark."

JERSEY CATTLE. The magnificent
herd of pure Jersey cattle, bred by the
late Alvin Adams, Esq., was sold at
auction on Friday last week, at his
farm in Watertown. There were from
800 to 1000 people on the grounds when
the sale commenced, embracing a large
number of fancy stock owners. The
rivalry among the bidders was lively at
times. The cattle were fifty in number,
and sold at prices varying from \$67.50 to
\$400 per head. A lot of calves were
sold, ranging in prices from \$10 to \$60.
The aggregate amount of the sales
reached \$5555.50.

Anecdotes.

A man noted for his close-fisted propen-
sities was showing an old coin to a
neighbor, when the latter inquired:
"Where did you get it?"
"I dug it out of my garden" was the
answer.
"It is a pity you didn't find it in the
cemetery," said the neighbor.
"Why so?" inquired the coin owner.
"Because you could have saved the
hole to be buried in."

"Oh, you say this gentleman was
about fifty-five," said Canning to a
young woman in the witness box, "and
I suppose, now, you consider yourself to
be a pretty good judge of people's ages,
eh? Ah, just so. Well, now, how old
should you take me to be?"
"Judging from your appearance, sir,"
replied the witness, "I should take you
to be about sixty; by your questions I
should suppose you were about sixty-
seven."

"How much do you say for twenty
three cent stamps I dunno?" enquired
Barney Drummole at the Post Office
wicket.

"Sixty cents," replied the clerk.
"Don't yer make any redness at all
for buyin' that way?"
"No."
"Say half a dollar now?"
"I can't make any reduction."
"I'll give ye fifty-five cents."
"If you don't want to buy stamps at
the regular price go away and make
room for other people, said the official,
sargely."

"Well, ye needn't get mad over it,"
said Barney, as he handed over the
money. "Sure its mighty shiffit an'
stuck-up like them Posht Office people
are. Faix now, as some av the people
as has money wud start an opposition
Posht Office an' be more accommodatin'."
They'd take the left av the business
away from them, so they wud."

A Puzzle.

We should be pleased to receive an
answer to the following ingenious puzzle,
which has been handed us by a gentle-
man from California, who clipped it
from a paper published in that State:

Revolution. In 1793
F R A N C I E
L A W S R E L I G I O N
A B O R Y N O N
D O M I N A N T

The Season of Intermittents.
All malarial complaints, in other words, all dis-
orders generated by unwholesome exhalations from
the earth or water, are prevalent at this season. In
every section subject to the visitation of fever and
ague, or other forms of intermittent disease, the
causes which produce these maladies are now active
by work. This, therefore, is a period of the year
when the inhabitants of each district should prepare
themselves to meet the unwholesome condition of
the atmosphere by a course of tonic and alterative
treatment. Foremost among the invigorators, recom-
mended by time and experience as a means of
fortifying the system against all epidemics and epi-
demic maladies, stands Hostetter's Stomach Bitters.
By a timely aid of the Bitters, the feeblest resi-
dent of an unhealthy soil may escape the sickness which
is wont to afflict the weak and soft of nature, who
will be apt to overcome the strongest.

Boarders Wanted.
THE undersigned is now prepared to accom-
modate such as desire first-class board with
well furnished and pleasant rooms, and a table
supplied with the best the market affords, at
reasonable prices, in one of the pleasantest loca-
tions in this town.
A few table boarders can also be accommo-
dated.
GREENVILLE BROOKS,
Chestnut Street.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

BOARDERS.
A FEW more persons can be accommo-
dated with pleasant rooms and good board at
D. F. FRENCH'S,
Washington Street.
Quincy, Aug. 11.

TO LET.
A HALF HOUSE, six rooms—on
Quincy Avenue, nearly opposite
Water street, convenient and in
good repair. Apply to
H. W. GRAY.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

TO LET.
THE ROOMS recently occupied by the
Quincy Laundry. These rooms are light
and pleasant, and suitable for manufacturing
purposes. JOHN HALL,
Quincy, Oct. 20.

TO RENT.
A COTTAGE of 7 rooms, pleas-
antly situated on South Hill, near
the depot, with hard and soft water, and
all the privileges, if desired.
Rent low to a good tenant.
P. H. GLOVER.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

TO LET.
A HALF HOUSE, corner of Elm
and Washington streets.
Apply on the premises.
Quincy, Oct. 13.

FOR SALE.
3 BUILDING LOTS, on elevated land, near
the depot, and within five minutes' walk of the
Depot, and near churches and schools.
For particulars enquire of
BENJ. F. CURTIS.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

FOR SALE.
A COTTAGE HOUSE on Water
street, near G. L. Howland's, three minutes' walk from depot.
Formerly occupied by the late Isaiah P. White.
Inquire at 100 Tremont street, Boston.
L. WHITE.
Quincy, Sept. 20.

TO LET.
A PART of a House near the Centre
Depot.—Furnished or unfurnished.
Apply to G. W. KENISON.
Quincy, Sept. 1.

TO LET.
THE TWO-STORY BUILDING on Wash-
ington Street, near the Brook, lately occu-
pied by James W. Pierce. The two stories will
be let together or separately.
Apply to H. F. BARKER.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

HOUSE LOTS FOR SALE.
LOTS numbered 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 24, on
upland near Granger & Hobart, situated on
Cape Hill, so called, and bounded on
Cape Hill and Centre Street, Quincy.
Also, a lot of land situated at Hough Neck,
near the beach, No. 25, on plan drawn by
E. G. Pratt. For particulars, apply to
JOHN CRANE,
Franklin Street.
Quincy, April 8.

TO LET.
THE FARM of the late EDMUND
POPE, in Scituate. It consists of
a House and Barn in good repair,
and about 12 acres of land, with a good orchard.
Suitable for a market garden or as a summer
residence.
Also, about 18 acres of Salt Marsh would be
rented with the above, if desired.
Apply to MRS. EDMUND POPE,
At Atlantic, Quincy.
Quincy, Oct. 14.

TO LET.
A HOUSE of eight (8) rooms, in
good repair. Rent low to a good
tenant. Apply to
CHARLES CRANE.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

TO LET.
A convenient and pleasant TEN-
EMENT, in Faxon's Brick Block
on Chestnut Street.
Quincy, Aug. 11.

TO LET.
A modern built, Mansard roof
house, nearly new, containing eight
rooms; situated on Edwards street;
recently occupied by T. H. Wason.
C. H. BARDWICK.
Quincy, June 23.

TO LET.
A NICE TENEMENT on Han-
cock street, next south of Adams
Academy.
Inquire on the premises.
JOSEPH UNDERWOOD.
Quincy, June 2.

TO LET.
HOUSE on Cottage Street.—In-
quire of
J. T. & W. V. HAYWARD.
Quincy, July 22.

Trees! Trees!!

As the season is now at hand to plant all
kinds of Trees, I wish to inform my
friends and patrons, and the public in general,
that I have on hand

ALL KINDS OF
Fruit & Ornamental Trees,
—AND—
SHRUBBERIES.
Also, —A Variety of
GRAPE VINES,
From one to three years old.
Currants and Gooseberries,
At my Nursery near the National
Soldiers' Home.
All orders promptly attended to.
MARTIN PRAFFMAN.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

A Card to the Public.

I NOW give notice that I will attend those
who may wish the services of a
MALE NURSE OR WATCHER FOR THE SICK.
I flatter myself that by my experience in that
work, I will be able to give entire satisfaction to
those who may need my services.
Those who may stand in need of my help,
will find me at my residence on Phillips street,
head of Pearl street.
SAMUEL WALES.
Quincy, Sept. 20.

The Cigar Counter

—AT—
WILSON'S MARKET,
WILL BE OPEN
EVERY EVENING,
(Sundays Excepted).
Until 9 o'clock.
G. F. WILSON.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

Stoves! Stoves!

The subscriber has on hand, and is prepared
to furnish

Cook, Parlor, and Office
STOVES,
OF THE BEST PATTERNS,
AT REASONABLE RATES.

Any STOVE, not in stock, will be ob-
tained at short notice.

TIN WARE

AND
KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Also, —SINKS, LEAD PIPE AND SHEET
LEAD.

FURNACES AND RANGES
Set and Repaired.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
E. S. FELLOWS.
Quincy, Oct. 13.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have taken the Store on
Hancock Street, formerly occupied by
Charles F. Pierce, where they will keep a
COMPLETE ASSORTMENT OF

Cook Stoves, Ranges,
Parlor and Office Stoves
Including the celebrated
STEWART STOVES.

Also
A full assortment of TIN WARE AND KITCHEN
FURNISHING GOODS.
Furnaces, Ranges, and Stoves REPAIRED at
short notice.
Pumps set and Repaired.
Old Copper, Brass, Lead, and Rags, taken in
exchange for Ware.
Prices to suit the times. Terms Cash.
JAMES W. PIERCE.
R. M. SANBORN.
Quincy, Sept. 20.

Patent Safety Lamp

—AND—
SURPRISE BURNER.
INSURANCE REPORTS show that over
TWELVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY lives,
and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS
worth of property and property insured
by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by
burning lamps while burning, dropping the lamp,
or extinguishing the light by blowing down the
chimney.

THIS ENTIRE SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND
PROPERTY CAN POSITIVELY BE PRE-
VENTED BY THE USE OF THE
Patent Safety Lamps
—AND—
SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot ex-
plode if dropped! Cannot explode if overturned!
Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguished
as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY
W. W. EWELL & CO.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

NOTICE.

JOHN H. VEAZIE
HAS REMOVED HIS APOTHECARY
STORE from the building of Ex-Hon-
orable H. Faxon, to
Store directly Opposite,
formerly occupied by Treanor & Melroe.
Please govern yourselves accordingly.
Quincy, Sept. 20.

Pure Cider Vinegar.
MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE.
For sale by the barrel or gallon.
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

HEAD QUARTERS FOR
Gents' Furnishing Goods:
LARGE STOCK;
NEW STYLES;
FINE GOODS;
AND LOW PRICES.
GEORGE SAVILE,
90 Hancock Street.
Quincy, June 30.

Table Cutlery.

THE New-England Pattern of Meriden Cutlery
Company—Best Pattern in the World,—open
this day at
GUY & BROTHERS,
35 Bedford Street.
Quincy, Sept. 8.

CARPETINGS.

25 PER CENT SAVED
By Buying your Carpetings direct of the
Manufacturers.
JOHN & JAMES DOBSON,
The Largest Manufacturers of Carpetings in the United States, are offering to
the purchasing public, at lowest Manufacturers' Prices, their large and
complete stock of New and Elegant Patterns in
WILTONS, ROYAL VELVETS, BRUSSELS,
TAPESTRIES, THREE PLYS, EX. SUPERS,
SUPERS, OIL CLOTHS, RUGS, MATS, ETC.
Churches, Hotels, and Public Buildings a Specialty.
CALL AND EXAMINE THEIR GOODS BEFORE PURCHASING.
SAMPLES SENT BY MAIL.
WAREHOUSES, 44 Washington Street, Boston.
FACTORIES, Falls of Schuylkill, Pa.

Retail Trade.

E. F. CUSHMAN
37 and 39 Temple Place,
BOSTON.
Ladies visiting Boston, will
at all times find at this popular
store, the best assorted stock of
Merino Underwear, Gloves, Ho-
siery Velvets, Ribbons, Satins,
Plushes, Silks, French Flowers,
Feathers, Wings, Feather Bands,
Plumes, all novelties in Laces,
Hamburg Edgings, Dress Trim-
mings, Buttons, Fringes, Linen
Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Shopping
Bags, Umbrellas, Corsets, Pan-
niers, and in fact anything that
can or cannot be found elsewhere,
can always be found at our store.

Every lady in New England
should look our stock through.
All goods WARRANTED as re-
presented.

E. F. CUSHMAN,
Successor to Cushman & Brooks.
Boston, Oct. 13.

1000 GALLONS
Pure Cider Vinegar,
FOR SALE AT
N. B. FURNALD'S,
Washington Street.
Quincy, Aug. 25.

LUMBER.

The undersigned having leased
ARE receiving and shall continue to receive
a Full Assortment of LUMBER and

Building Materials,
SPRUCE FRAMES,
DIMENSION
Pine, Spruce,
and Hemlock
Covering Boards.
Sheathing, Shelving and Base.

Pine, Spruce,
and Hard Pine
FLOORING.
Matched Roofing Boards,
Clapboards,
Shingles,
Laths,
Pickets.
Lime, Cement, Plaster,
HAIR, &c., &c.

—ALSO—
Gutters, Conductors,
and Mouldings.
All of which will be sold
Cheap for Cash.
On Wharf, or delivered promptly to order.

LAKIN & CO.
Quincy, June 3, 1876.

CARD.

THE undersigned, formerly of W. F. LA-
KIN & CO., now of LAKIN & CO., would
respectfully announce to the citizens of Quincy
and vicinity, that he has been found as above,
where he will be happy to see all of his old
friends and the public generally.
Very thankful for your previous patronage,
would respectfully ask a continuance of the
same. Respectfully yours,
W. F. LAKIN
Quincy, June 3.

DRESS GOODS.

RECEIVED EVERY WEEK.
—AND—
Sold at Lowest Prices.
By
Quincy, Oct. 6.

FOR SALE.

ONE Iron-age Shifting-top BUGGY, 4
wheels, seat, spring, in good repair.—
Built by Treadwell & Sons, of Quincy.
Can be seen at John Hall's Livery Stable.
Inquire of
C. H. PRATT.
Quincy, March 3.

EXECUTRIX'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the subscriber
has been duly appointed Executrix of the
Estate of
PATRICK SULLIVAN,
late of Quincy, in said County of Norfolk, deceased.
All persons having demands upon the estate of said
deceased, are required to exhibit the same, and all
debts due to said estate are required to be paid, on or
before the 15th day of October, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
J. H. COBB, Register.
October 13, 1877.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.
NORFOLK, SS. PROBATE COURT.
TO the Heirs-at-Law and others interested in the
Estate of
DANIEL F. BATES,
late of Cohasset, in said County, deceased,
GREETING:
Whereas, Louis T. Cushing, Administrator of
the estate of said deceased, has presented to said Court
his petition for license to sell so much of the real
estate of said deceased as will raise the sum of six
hundred and seventy-seven dollars and seventy-eight
cents, for the payment of debts and charges of ad-
ministration.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court
to be holden at Quincy, in said County of Norfolk,
on the second Wednesday of November next, at
nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any
you have, against the same.
And said petitioner is hereby directed to give
notice thereof by publishing this citation once a
week, for three successive weeks, in the newspaper
called the Quincy Patriot, printed at Quincy,
before the said day of October, at least, before said
Court.

Witness, GEORGE WHITE, Esquire, Judge of said
Court, this tenth day of October, in the year one
thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.
J. H. COBB, Register.
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J. H. COBB, Register.
October 13, 1877.

Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Diphtheria, Measles, &c.

Office of the Board of Health.
QUINCY, FEB. 1, 1877.
THE Board of Health issues the following
notice:—That on and after MONDAY, Feb-
ruary 2nd, 1877, the following provisions of
Chapter 29 of the General Statutes will be
strictly enforced:
Sec. 47. When a household knows that a
person within his family is taken sick of
any . . . disease dangerous to the public
health, he shall immediately give notice thereof
to the . . . board of health of the town in
which he abides, if he refuses or neglects to
give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not
exceeding \$100.
Sec. 48. When a physician knows that any
person whom he is called to visit is infected
with . . . any disease dangerous to the public
health, he shall immediately give notice thereof
to the . . . board of health of the town;
and if he refuses or neglects to give such
notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum
not less than \$50, nor more than \$100.
The Board considers the above sections to
apply to scarlet fever, small-pox, diphtheria,
measles, and whooping cough.
WILLIAM A. HODGES, Board
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Health.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, March 10.

NOTICE.

THE Assessors of the Town of Quincy give
notice that they have delivered to GEORGE
HAYLOCK, Collector of Taxes, a correct List
of the Taxes, together with a warrant, in due
form of law, for collecting the same, and that
by a vote of the town, all persons who shall pay
their taxes on or before the 15th day of SEP-
TEMBER, 1877, a discount of four per cent
will be made, and a vote of the town all taxes
will be due, and payable on the first day of Novem-
ber next, unless they are paid on or before the
15th day of September, 1877, in which case
on all taxes not paid before December 1st,
1877.

WM. A. HODGES, Assessors
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, Aug. 14.

\$500 REWARD.
A REWARD of \$500 will be paid to any
person who will give information sufficient
to convict the person who set fire to the
Almshouse barn on Saturday night, March 11th.
—ALSO—
A like amount will be paid to any one who
will give information sufficient to convict any
person or persons who have set fire to any build-
ing of the value of one hundred dollars, in the
town of Quincy, on or before the 15th day of
September, 1877, or who may set fire to any build-
ing, between this time and March 1st, 1878.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, March 10, 1876.

Selectmen's Meetings.
THE Selectmen will meet at their Office, in
the Town House, every SATURDAY, from
10 o'clock to 12 o'clock, P. M., for the
purpose of receiving applications from persons
having business with the Town will
please present on those days.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, March 10.

State Aid.
THE Selectmen will meet at their Office in
the Town House, every SATURDAY, from
10 o'clock to 12 o'clock, P. M., for the
purpose of receiving applications from persons
having business with the Town will
please present on those days.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, March 10.

\$15.00 Reward!
WHEREAS, a large number of the Street
Lamp have been stolen, and it is hereby
ordered that a reward of \$15.00 shall be paid
to any person who will give information
sufficient to convict the person or persons
guilty of said offence.

Also—
For breaking Glass in windows of
buildings belonging to the town.
WILLIAM A. HODGES, Selectmen
ENGLISH S. FELLOWS, Quincy.
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, Quincy, March 10, 1876.

CYRUS PATCH,

DEALER IN
FRANKLIN COAL,
OF LYKEN'S VALLEY,
LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA,
And Best Quality of
SHROCKLEY COAL.

—ALSO—
CUMBERLAND COAL,
For Blacksmiths' and Steam Purposes.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,
SAWED AND SPLIT.
—AND—
WHARF AT QUINCY POINT.

OFFICE.—At Keating & Spear's Furni-
ture Store, on Washington Street, where or-
ders, large and small, may be left at all hours
of the day.

Small quantities of Wood and Coal will be
kept at this Store to supply immediate demand.
All orders promptly attended to.
A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH,
Quincy, May 1.
SOMERSET
COAL COMPANY,
GRANITE STREET,
(Near Robertson's Block.)
QUINCY.

Coal and Wood,
AT THE LOWEST PRICES!
The Company is prepared to furnish the best
quality of

LACKAWANNA,
CUMBERLAND,
LEHIGH,
—AND—
Lyken's Valley Franklin Coal.

IN SMALL OR LARGE QUANTITIES,
delivered promptly to order.
HARD AND SOFT WOOD,
AND KINDLINGS,
furnished in quantities to suit customers.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage
heretofore bestowed, we hope by strict attention
to business to merit a continuance.

Office open on Saturday Evenings until
8 o'clock; other evenings until 6.
OWEN ADAMS, Agent.
Quincy, June 22.

PERUVIAN SYRUP

Is a protected solution of the
Protoxide of Iron,
A new discovery in medicine, that strikes at the root
of disease by supplying the blood with its vital prin-
ciple or life element.
IRON.
This is the secret of the wonderful success of this
remedy in curing
Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Dropsy,
Chronic Diarrhea, Boils, Nervous
Affections, Catarrhs, and Fevers,
Hemorrhages, Loss of Constitution-
al Vigor, Neuralgia Female
Complaints, and
ALL DISEASES
ORIGINATING IN A
Bad State of the Blood.
Or accompanied by
DEBILITY
OR
A Low State of the System.

AN IRON CONSTITUTION.

Is an excellent substitute for wine or brandy
where a stimulant is needed.
One element of the restorative power of Iron as a
medicine is its magnetic action and the electricity
developed thereby. For female weakness it is a
specific.

For Dyspepsia, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Debility, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Dropsy, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Neuralgia, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Chronic Diarrhea, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Liver Complaint, Use
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For Boils and Hemorrhages, Use
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For Chills and Fever, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Loss of Appetite, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Nervous Affections, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
For Female Complaints, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
To Tone up the System, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP
To Invigorate the Brain, Use
PERUVIAN SYRUP

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, OCT. 27, 1877.

LONG AND VALUABLE LABOR. Mr. Chas. A. Cutter, of Winchester, now in Europe, has been engaged for twenty-seven years on the important and difficult task of cataloguing the Boston Athenaeum Library. It will make five octavo volumes, and will be published at a cost of about \$100,000. Mr. Cutter has employed from six to eight assistants in the work.

Suicide is alarmingly on the increase in New York. Between August 24 and October 16 there were twenty-two cases of self-destruction in that city and fourteen attempts at suicide, the largest number in the same period of time in their municipal history.

A MONUMENT FOR CUSTER. When Custer and his men were all killed at the battle of Little Big Horn, a universal desire was expressed that a monument should be erected to his memory. The *Herald* announced that subscriptions for that purpose would be received at its office, and in a few weeks \$4,051.20 were subscribed by the admirers of the dead hero and his comrades. This sum has been transferred to the hands of Mr. August Belmont, the banker. Since that time the remains of General Custer have been removed to their final resting place at West Point, and now await the monument that shall testify the love and admiration of the American people for his heroic character. The project requires but a little stimulus to make it a success. A few thousand dollars in addition to the amount already on hand will assure the completion of the work.—*New York Herald.*

The first patent in the United States was issued to Samuel Hopkins, on July 14th, 1790, "for making pot and pearl ashes." Up to 1836—forty-six years—14,301. The annual number of patents granted is about 14,000. The annual receipts are about \$800,000, and expenditures \$600,000.

A Wareham woman, who has little confidence in banks, has hidden away in her house a collection of 800 silver half dimes, which she has been gathering for some years. She has two bank accounts, indeed, but fears a collapse, and is bound to have some reserve in case of necessity.

One week ago last Friday during the session of Supreme Court in Newport R. I., a woman was granted a divorce from her husband and the following Thursday she was married to a widower of that city. On the following Sunday she became a mother, and Wednesday night she died. She was a wife, a divorced woman, a bride, a mother, and a corpse all within two weeks.

The favorite cat of a Newport family died last week, and was swathed in linen, placed in a coffin and duly buried at a cost of \$10, or say, 160 loaves of bread.

Vassar College is to have a thousand dollar elevator. The girls almost wore the banisters out sliding down, so the Faculty think it will be cheaper to provide an elevator.

England imported last year \$13,000,000 worth of eggs, chiefly from the Continent. Canada also, is beginning to send across the water a considerable number, one steamer alone having lately carried from the Dominion to Liverpool 280 barrels of eggs. Here's a hint to our farmers and country-produce dealers.

In a fog. Many stories are told of misadventures which occurred during a recent dense fog in London. One of the strangest occurred at a suburban cemetery. In the afternoon a funeral arrived at the cemetery, but neither undertaker nor friends could discover the grave in which the deceased was to be interred. There was, indeed no difficulty in finding an open grave, but all means of ascertaining locality having been lost, the friends were afraid that they would deposit their departed relative in the wrong grave. The coffin was subsequently brought home again, and the interment postponed for twenty-four hours.

A contemporary asks: "How would it do to put the Spitz dog under blue glass?" Very well, if it is made air tight.

Attention to the Old.

A little thoughtful attention, how happy it makes the old! They have outlived most of the friends of their early youth. How lonely their hours! Often their partners in life have long filled silent graves; often their children they have followed to the tomb. They stand solitary, bending on their staff, waiting till the same call shall reach them. How often they must think of absent, lamented faces; of the love which cherished them, and the tears of sympathy which fell with theirs, now all gone. Why should not the young cling around and comfort them, cheering their gloom with happy smiles?

Vegetables vs. the Gout.

Speaking of a vegetable banquet at Leeds, in England, the other day, the Rev. C. H. Collins said he was descended from a long line of gouty ancestors. He had been a sufferer from gout, but, having more than ten years ago become a total abstainer, and having, not long afterward, become a vegetarian, he had driven the gout out, and could give no other reason for it except pure and wholesome living—total abstinence from alcoholic liquors and from flesh meat. The teeth of man showed that he was not a carnivorous, but a frugivorous animal, and the stomach, he contended, also showed that it was intended not to receive flesh, but the fruits of the earth. He would not go back to his former mode of life for anything that could be given to him. Vegetarian diet agrees with the delicate as well as the robust. It was wholesome and enjoyable, and to it he owed a new lease of life.

Many year ago, it may be said, the power, purity and delicacy of tone shown in the Mason & Hamlin organs seemed to indicate that they were well-nigh perfect. The management of the Mason & Hamlin Organ Company, however, are constantly endeavoring to improve. They spend much time and money in experimenting and endeavoring to reach the highest standard. They have introduced many improvements which were first shown in their organs at the Centennial Exhibition in Philadelphia, and since that time they have added others which have been long in progress. The organ which they made for the very celebrated Dr. Franz Liszt combined all the improvements which they had thoroughly tested, and which had been demonstrated as successful. This instrument has been seen and tested by a number of the best musicians in the world, who pronounce it a great advance upon all that had been before accomplished. As Dr. Franz Liszt himself says, "This beautiful organ fully justifies the remarkable, well-founded and well-spread renown of these superb instruments. Fac-similes in every musical particular of this fine organ can be seen at the warehouses of the Mason & Hamlin Organ Company, and an examination on the part of those familiar with the subject will undoubtedly prove that the tones of this new organ are the finest, and much in advance of anything ever produced from reeds before."

It is very easy to pick holes in other people's work, but it is far more profitable to do better yourself. Is there a fool in all the world that cannot criticize? Those who can themselves do good service are but as one to a thousand compared with those who can see faults in the labors of others.

A man recently knocked down an elephant and a rhinoceros. He was an auctioneer.

JAMES FAULKNER,
Florist and Landscape
GARDENER.

P. O. Box 128 East Milton, Mass.

All orders promptly attended to.

Beignets, Wreaths and Floral Designs

MADE TO ORDER.

Also—Stove Greenhouse and Hardy Plants, in large variety.

Mosses, Ferns, and Ornamental Foliage.

Plants suitable for Fernerys and Hanging Baskets.

Fruit and Ornamental Trees

IN VARIETY.

GRANITE AVENUE, NORTH QUINCY, MASS.

January 20. 1y

SINGING BIRDS,
FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has just received at his Aviary on Washington Street, near of D. F. French's Boarding Establishment, a large variety of "Feathered Songsters," including

Canaries, Mocking Birds,

Bullfinches, Cardinals, &c.,

which he will dispose of at reasonable rates.

Also—BIRD CAGES.

Constantly on hand and for sale.—Seeds

Gravel Paper, and Cage Springs.

FRANK W. FRENCH.

Quincy, Sept. 22. 1y

Summary of News.

The present annual liquor bill of the United States is \$750,000,000.

Col. R. Hoe, the famous printing-press manufacturer, was the first to import the celebrated Alderney breed of cattle into America.

W. Gale Cardiff, a pedestrian who began to walk 1,500 miles in 1,000 hours at London, England, Sunday, August 26, successfully finished the task.

Levi Cook, of Abington, has raised the present season from one squash vine, seven squashes, weighing in the aggregate 128 1-2 pounds.

All along the Cape the cranberry crop is very large, and by far exceeds that of previous years. In some sections the market price ranges at only five or six dollars per barrel.

A book canvasser, the other day, talked half an hour to induce a lady to buy a book. Then she handed him a slip of paper on which was written: "I'm deaf and dumb!"

MATCHES. Who would have thought of it? Not one of our readers we will venture. Statistics, so far as it is possible to prove them, show that six matches are daily used to every person in the United States; and this foots up at 240,000,000 in every twenty-four hours. One firm in New York uses annually 700,000 feet of choice white pine lumber, 100,000 pounds of sulphur and 150 tons of straw boards for boxes—all used in the manufacture of matches by one firm. This 700,000 feet of lumber would alone level quite a forest. This, remember, is the work of but one firm, and there are seventy-five of them in the United States. Who would have thought of it?

FRUIT JARS.

Mason's Fruit Jars,

The Best Jars for Canning Fruit in use.

For sale by
THOMAS E. FURNALD.
Quincy, July 14. 1y

FORD BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF
WILLIAMS'S CELEBRATED
WASHING CRYSTAL.

The Best Article of the Kind in the World!

ASK your Grocer for Williams's Washing Crystal, and TAKE NO OTHER. The very best article known for WASHING DIRTY OR SOILED HANDS. Also, for HOUSE CLEANING AND ALL DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

Half the Labor and half the Soap Saved by using

Williams's Washing Crystal.

For sale by all first-class Grocers.

TRY OUR
JAMICA GINGER,

The Best and Cheapest in the Market!

—ALSO—
Flavoring Extracts,

OF ALL KINDS.
W. N. FORD. E. T. FORD.
Quincy, Sept. 15. 1y

SALEM LEAD COMPANY.

Warranted **PURE WHITE LEAD.**—Well known throughout New England as the "WHITEST," FINEST, and BEST.

LEAD TAPE, 5-8 in. wide, on reels, for Curtain Slides.

LEAD RIBBON, from 2 1-2 to 8 inches wide, on reels for Bellows.

LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness.

At lowest market prices for goods of equal quality.

FRANCIS BROWN, Treasurer, Salem, Mass.

Feb. 19. 1y

ROBERTSON HOUSE,
QUINCY, MASS.

This new brick Hotel, on Hancock Street, is now open for the accommodation of guests. It is provided with all modern improvements, such as Steam Heat, Bath Rooms, Water Closets, &c., and a very fine **RESTAURANT** or **BAR** ROOM.

PLEASURE PARTIES can find here all the comforts formerly enjoyed at the old Lexington House.

W. P. F. MESERVE

Quincy Dec. 16. 1y

JOHN HARDWICK & CO.

Real Estate & Insurance

AGENTS.
Granite Street, Quincy.

Insurance secured in any reliable Office.

Quincy, Feb. 10. 1y

Insurance Agency,
Established in Quincy in 1849

—BY—
W. PORTER.

INSURANCE EFFECTED in reliable and safe STOCK and MUTUAL OFFICES—by

W. PORTER & CO.,

At No. 27 STATE STREET, BOSTON.

Residence, QUINCY, corner Adams and Hancock Streets

Quincy, April 26. 3m

Poster Printing, Cheap!
At the Patriot Office.

NORFOLK MUTUAL

Fire Insurance Company,

OF DEDHAM, MASS.

INCORPORATED IN 1825.

Cash Assets, January 1, 1877, \$255,977.01

Premium Notes, 509,636.62

Total Available Assets, \$765,613.63

Amount at Risk, 15,162,217.00

This Company insures Buildings and Household Furniture only, STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN, and has NEVER paid less than 50 per cent dividend on every five-year policy that has expired since its incorporation.

H. A. CLEVELAND, Pres't and Treas'r.

PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.

HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.

Quincy, Sept. 22. 1y

DORCHESTER.

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. O. NEPONSET, Mass.

Ward 16, Boston, Mass.

E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.

Amount Insured by 6,831 Policies, \$11,192,961.00

On Real Estate, 9,298,357.00

On Personal, 1,894,604.00

Cash Assets.

Real Estate (Brick and Stone Building), \$21,000.00

Loaned on Mortgages, 23,500.00

Corporation Note—Boston and Lowell R. R., 5,000.00

National Bank Stock, 14,530.50

Rail Road Stock, 42,530.00

U. S. 5-20 Bonds, 20,884.00

Policies in Course of Collection, 11,912.25

Deposits, Unchecked, 709.00

Interest Due and earned to date, 1,950.50

Cash on Deposit N. E. Trust Co., 26,406.19

do, do, in First National Bank, 2,902.11

Furniture of Office, Halls, and Storerooms, 1,000.00

\$175,181.06

Amount of Deposit Notes available (with-

out assessments) to pay losses, 164,000.00

\$339,181.06

\$75,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$229,181.06 available

surplus over amount required to re-insure all our risks.

The Company continues to insure the safer class of property at current rates, and to pay Return Premiums on terminated policies at 40 per cent, on five-year policies, 25 per cent, on three years, and 15 per cent, on one-year policies.

Neponset, Feb. 12. 1y

CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON.)

IS NOW PAYING

A Dividend of 80 per cent.

on seven year Policies, 60 per

cent, on 5, and 50 per cent, on

all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Barns and con-

tents, on the most favorable terms.

Cash Assets, Jan 1, 1877, \$290,335.23

Deposit Notes, in force, 309,058.52

Total, \$599,393.75

Liabilities.—Unsettled claims for losses,

\$3,840.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President.

J. W. PEABODY, Sec. and Treas.

Boston Office—No. 42 Congress Street.

JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.

Quincy, Aug. 29. 1y

DEDHAM MUTUAL
Fire Insurance Company,

DEDHAM, MASS.

INCORPORATED 1837.

INSURES STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN.

The company has a larger ratio of Assets,

to amount at risk, than any other Company

doing a Mutual business, in the State.

It is paying 33 1-3 per cent, dividend on all

expiring One and Two Years' Policies, and 50

per cent, on all others.

GEO. B. FAUNCE, President.

PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.

DIRECTORS, Ira Cleveland, Hon. Waldo

Colburn, E. N. Taft, L. H. Kingsbury, Ded-

ham; Wm. Mansfield, Canton; E. J. Bishop,

Dorchester; George B. Fauce, Boston

Highlands.

HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.

Quincy, Sept. 22. 1y

THE QUINCY
Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

Cash Fund, Jan. 1st, 1877,
\$360,000.00.

Surplus over re-insurance, \$140,000 00

Gain in cash fund past year, 34,000 00

Gain in cash surplus past year, 25,000 00

Every loss has been paid in full.

None but the safer classes of hazards written.

I. W. MUNROE, President.

CHARLES A. ROWLAND, Sec'y.

Quincy, Jan. 1, 1877.

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE
Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

OF WEYMOUTH.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, OCT. 27, 1877.

Autumn Leaves.

As the days for culling autumn leaves are at hand, we publish for the benefit of those who make such collections, the following method of preserving them, taken from the Albany Sunday Argus:

"Skeletonized leaves are perhaps more popular for decoration than any other and it strikes us that they are far more beautiful. The work of preparing them is rather more tedious and disagreeable than difficult, but it requires great care. In the first place the leaves must be examined to see that they are perfect and free from the bites of insects. The leaves of the elm, poplar, sycamore, pear, maple, deutzia, and box tree are the firmest leaves to commence with. They should be placed in an earthen dish, covered with rain water, and kept in a warm place. In about two weeks they will be sufficiently macerated. Since the network of leaves is very delicate it is well to use a soft toothbrush or small paintbrush for removing the pulp. Place the leaf on a plate and gently brush away the pulp, keeping it continually moist. After the leaves are thoroughly cleansed dry them by pressing gently between the folds of a soft towel, after which the skeletons may be laid away in a box to await bleaching. Fern leaves need not be macerated, as in the bleaching process the epidermis will be completely eaten away. Dry them between sheets of blotting paper or a book already directed. For bleaching take one ounce of chloride of lime and dissolve it in a quart of water; let it stand until well dissolved, then filter through blotting paper and bottle. Of this solution, which may be bought ready made of the druggist, if desired, add one spoonful to 19 spoonfuls of water, and immerse the skeletons until they are white. Leaves and seed vessels should not be put in the same jar, and the coarse skeletons should be kept separate from the more delicate ones. After bleaching, rinse the leaves in fresh water, then dry between the folds of a soft towel and keep between the pages of a book till ready for mounting. If the leaves become curled in drying, press them by tying a cord tightly around the book in which they are laid. Skeletonized leaves should be mounted on a cushion of black or dark blue velvet. Dissolve gum arabic in water, making a thick mucilage; with this gum the leaves to the stems from which they have become separated; or if artificial stems are needed crochet cotton stiffened with gum will answer the purpose. The stems of the leaves must be fastened to the velvet with gum. The leaves are pretty arranged in a tiny basket, as well as mounted on velvet, but no special directions can be given for the design of the bouquet—it must be left to the taste of the operator. A glass shade must cover the leaves, which are too delicate to be left uncovered."

A Large Landholder.

Probably the largest landholder in America is ex-Governor Abner Coburn of Maine. Incredible as it may seem, he is the owner of not less than 593,000 acres, divided up as follows:—Maine, 450,000 acres; Canada, 135,000; Wisconsin, 35,000; Dakota, 35,000; Michigan, 20,000; Minnesota, 18,000. His latest purchase is that of the tract in Dakota, and was taken of the Northern Pacific Railroad in lieu of stock, in which road he invested some \$600,000. His agent, Mr. Whipple, has just returned from the West, whither he has been to look after Mr. Coburn's interests, and see about the last purchase.

He reports the land in Dakota as among the finest held by the Governor. He says it is well adapted to growing cereals, and fine crops of wheat have been harvested in the vicinity the present season. One of the causes of the failure of the Spragues was land speculation. They purchased from Mr. Coburn, some six years since, a tract in Maine, for which they were to give \$1,400,000, and upon the same advanced \$500,000. The land was well timbered, but the Spragues could not keep it, and Mr. Coburn has now come into possession again, while the Spragues are out the amount advanced.

The Governor is said to be besieged with beggars of both high and low standing, and there is scarcely a day passes but he receives letters asking aid to help build seminaries, churches, and charitable institutions. He is reported as giving away upwards of \$100,000 per annum. Mr. Coburn is probably worth \$6,000,000.

Conductor's Mistake.

It happened the other day on the Lehigh Valley Railroad. The train had just left Easton, and the conductor was making his first round, when he observed a small white dog with a bushy tail and bright black eyes, sitting cosily beside a young lady so handsome that it made his heart roll over like a lopsided pumpkin. But duty was duty, and he remarked in his most deprecatory manner:

"I'm very sorry, madame, but it's against the rules to have dogs in the passenger car."

"Oh, nay! is that so?" and she turned up two lovely brown eyes at him beseechingly. "What in the world will I do? I can't throw him away. He is a present from my aunt."

"By no means, Miss. We'll put him in the baggage car, and he'll be just as happy as a robin in spring."

"What! put my nice white dog into a nasty, stuffy, dusty baggage car?"

"I'm awful sorry, Miss, I do assure you, but the rules of this company are as inflexible as the laws of the Medes and them other fellows, you know. He shall have my overcoat to lie on, and the brakeman will give him grub and water every time he opens his mouth."

"I just think it's awful mean, so I do, and I know somebody will steal it, so they will!" and she showed a half notion to cry that nearly broke the conductor's heart; but he was firm and sang out to the brakeman, who was playing a solo on the stove:

"Here, Andy, take this dog over into the baggage car, and tell 'em to take just the best care of him."

The young lady pouted, but the brakeman reached over and picked the canine up as carefully as though it had been a two-weeks-old baby; but as he did so a strange expression came over his face, like a wave of cramp-colic, and he said hastily to the conductor:

"Here, you just hold him a minute while I put this poker away," and he trotted out at the car door and held on to the brake-wheel, shaking like a man in the ague.

"Who, wh—why, this is a worsted dog!"

"Yes sir," said the little Miss, demurely. "Didn't you know that?"

"No. I'm awful sorry to say I didn't know that;" and he laid the Christmas dog in the owner's lap and walked out on the platform, where he stood half an hour in the cold, trying to think of a hymn tune to suit the worst sold man on the Lehigh Valley.

The Profits of Literature.

Longfellow is independent in circumstances—probably worth \$100,000 or \$200,000; but the greatest part of it has come to him through his wife, long since deceased, who was rich in her own right.

Emerson has not yet made, from his remarkable little volumes, over \$20,000. He has gained nearly as much more by lecturing; and yet, by excellent management, which one might not expect from the high idealist, and by a serene philosophy of a practical sort, he continues to live on his small property.

Bryant is often cited as an instance of a rich author. He is rich, but not by authorship. All the money he has directly earned by his pen, outside of his journal, would not exceed, in all probability, \$25,000, notwithstanding his estate is estimated at \$500,000.

Hawthorne was poor to his dying day, and might have suffered but for his appointment to the Consularship at Liverpool, by his friend, President Pierce.

Lowell is independent in circumstances—no thanks to his fine poetry and essays, however.

Whittier, like most thrifty New Englanders, owns his own house, and beneath its humble roof, it is said, he has sometimes subsisted—he is a bachelor, you know—on \$500 a year.

Holmes is well off by the practice of the medical profession, by marriage, and inheritance, albeit not by poems, lectures, novels, nor "Autocrats of the Breakfast Table." All that he has written has not brought him \$25,000.

J. G. Holland is frequently named as an author who has amassed wealth. His books have sold as largely as those of any American writer, and whatever may be thought of his ability, he still has a vast constituency. He is not at all rich in the New York sense; he may be worth \$200,000, but most of this he got by his partnership in the Springfield Republican.

George William Curtis is dependent on his salary from the Harper's; so is Mr. William D. Howells dependent upon his editorship of the Atlantic; Bret Harte, T. B. Aldrich, James Parton, J. T. Trowbridge, R. H. Stoddard, T. W. Higginson, mainly upon fugitive writing.—*Printers' Circular.*

Budget of Fun.

"Mother and I did the washing to-day; that is, I furnished dirty clothing, and she washed it," said a girl of the period.

"When a man saves his cigar money to buy his wife a new bonnet, and the children new shoes, it indicates a spell of sunshine."

"A few mornings ago while relating to our family the fact of a friend having found upon his door step a fine little male infant, whom he had adopted, when one of the 'olive branches' remarked: 'Pa, dear, it'll be his step son, won't it?'"

We thought it would decidedly.

"You seem to walk more erect than usual, my friend." "Yes, I have been straightened by circumstances."

"I never did like mutton with capers," Brown said, as he brushed his clothes, after an attack from a ram.

It takes, according to a scientific journal, four thousand bumblebees to weigh a pound; but you stop a bumblebee some time when he is right busy, and pick him up and lift him, and you will raise your hand to heaven and swear that he weighs a ton.—*Hawkeye.*

Manners are the shadows of virtues; the momentary display of those qualities which our fellow creatures love and respect. If we strive to become then what we strive to appear, manners would often be rendered useful guides to the performances of our duties.

They were at a dinner party, and he remarked that he supposed she was fond of ethnology. She said she was, but she was not very well, and the doctor had told her not to eat anything for desert except oranges.

The rooster rises earlier than the lark, and the cat beats them both by staying up all night and practicing its sentimental heart-breaking songs.

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Warranted to BAKE IN BOTH OVENS AT
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IN EVERY RESPECT.
Also, Sole Agents in Quincy for the celebrated
Stewart Parlor Stoves.
Also, Repair pieces.
Quincy, Oct. 13. tf

CHEAP!
Ladies' Merino Undereasts
and Pants,
At the Very Lowest Prices.
Twenty Dozen just received from Auction,
By
E. CLAPP,
Quincy, Oct. 20. 64 HANCOCK STREET.

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Neatly Done at this Office.

WILMOT'S,
263 Washington Street,
BOSTON.
MEN'S
WINTER
OVERCOATS,
OF OUR OWN MANUFACTURE,
From \$6 to \$25 each.
MEN'S
BUSINESS SUITS,
From \$6 to \$20.
MEN'S PANTALOONS,
From \$1.75 to 5.
Boys' Clothing.
BOYS' SUITS,
AGE 3 TO 10 YEARS,
\$2.50 to \$7.
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YOUNG MEN'S
NOBBY OVERCOATS
\$10 to \$20.
BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 3 to 10 years,
\$4 to \$8.
BOYS' OVERCOATS, age 8 to 15 years,
\$4 to \$12.
Men's Custom Department.
Pants from Measure, \$5.
Overcoats from Measure, \$20.
Business Suits from Measure, \$20.
FALL OVERCOATS FROM MEASURE, \$15.
Every garment we sell is of our own
manufacture, and fully warranted.
Goods marked in plain figures, and no deviation
in price.

WILMOT'S,
263 Washington St., Boston.
Sept. 29. 12w

A Card to the Public.
I NOW give notice that I will attend those
of all kinds of
MALE NURSE OR WATCHER FOR THE SICK.
I flatter myself that by my experience in that
work, I will be able to give entire satisfaction to
those that may need my services.
Those who may stand in need of my help,
will find me at my residence on Phipps street,
head of Pearl street.
SAMUEL WALES.
Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

REMOVAL.
The Quincy Dye-House
—AND—
STEAM LAUNDRY,
Has been removed to the Store formerly oc-
cupied by KEATING & SPENCER, on
Washington Street,
WHERE the subscriber is prepared to do all
kinds of
DYEING,
in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and
at reasonable prices.
CLEANSING OF ALL KINDS, done at
short notice.
We are better prepared than ever to do
LAUNDRYING
IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,
in the highest style of the art, and hope by
strict attention to business, to merit a liberal
patronage.
ORDER BOX at E. B. South's, at the De-
pot, and at Wollaston Post Office.
C. W. GEORGE, PROPRIETOR.
Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

FAMILY COAL
Genuine Franklin Coal,
OF LYKEN'S VALLEY.
STERLING SHAMOKIN,
—AND—
White Ash and Cumberland Coals.
WOOD.
Nova Scotia Oak and Pine,
SAWED TO ANY LENGTH.
—AND—
SPLIT KINDLINGS.
Orders left at G. F. Wilson's, George
Saville's, E. A. Adams', P. O. Box 285, or
with the subscriber, will receive prompt atten-
tion.
Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

PAPER HANGING!!
J. W. LEGALLEE.
All Orders left at the store of Keating &
Spencer, Washington Street, or P. O. Box
285, will receive prompt attention.
Quincy, April 3. tf

Poetry.
For the Patriot.
Charity.
BY FREDERICK C. BAKER.
"But the greatest of these is Charity."
1. COR. 13: 13.
Of all the graces God has given,
To aid us to prepare for Heaven;
To help us live such lives on earth,
As honors him who gave us birth.
Charity.—Perfect love to God,
For his great gift of Jesus' blood,
And love to man whom he has placed
With us to turn this pilgrim race.
This grace, must all the rest excel,
And in our inmost soul must dwell,
Its fruits in all our lives must shine,
If we would win the Father's smile.
In vain we tune our tongues to sing,
In vain to him our praises bring,
If in our hearts we give no place
To this exalted Christian grace.
In vain his grace essay to preach,
The way to others try to teach,
Unless we show a heartfelt love,
Akin to that of God above.
Faith is a grace, by it we're saved;
Through it eternal life we have,
And hope which so inspires our breast,
And bids us on the promise rest.
But while we're done with nature's night,
Our faith shall then be lost in sight,
And hope, in full fruition rise,
As earth's vain, transient glory dies.
But while they live, and when they're dead,
When all life's fleeting hours are fled,
Through time and through eternity,
This charity no end shall see.
Then let us for this virtue seek,
'Twill make us loving, kind and meek,
Our faith 'twill strengthen, hope inspire,
And be in us a living fire.
Not only hang it on your walls,
And with it decorate your halls;
But in the garden of your heart,
Give charity a double part.
Oct. 24, 1877.

SINGULAR ROBBERS.
Many years ago, I was traveling
through a portion of Kentucky, that was
then considered the frontier, or what
was commonly called the "Backwoods."
But even here civilization had begun to
make its mark. The country was be-
coming pretty well dotted, by small farms
and settlers' cabins, while ever and
anon, I passed a rude log school-house.
It had only been a few years however
since the wild savage had been driven
from these now fertile and blooming
lands. The wilderness was fast being
converted into fields and gardens, but
the country was still called the "Back-
woods."
I was growing late, and I urged my
tired horse on as fast as I could, in order
to reach Henry Meeks' house before
night should fairly set in. I had been
acquainted with Meeks' wife since she
was a little girl, in fact we had been
school children together, and although
I was but slightly acquainted with her
husband, I fancied I could renew his
acquaintance and pass a pleasant even-
ing in a strange land.
It is an old saying, and a very true
one, that a traveler journeying through
the country on horseback with a slim
purse, is very apt to hunt up as many
old acquaintances as he can. It was
nearly dark when I reached the house
desired.
Hitching my horse at the gate, I went
in and found Margaret Meeks and her
two small children alone. Her husband
she informed me had gone to the nearest
town on business, and would not be
back until late that night, if at all, and
she intimated that it would be proper
for me to go farther.
However, after some persuasion on
my part, for the next house was five
miles off, and a storm was coming up,
she consented that I might stay.
Margaret informed me I would find
hay and oats in the stable for my horse,
and I first attended to his wants. After
that was done, I re-entered the house,
and was regaled with a supper of ham
and eggs, corn cakes and coffee; a meal
that a king might envy, if he had trav-
eled as far as I and been as hungry.
After supper was over Mrs. Meeks
and I talked over some of our childhood
days, and asked mutual questions in re-
gard to old school-mates.
The threatened storm came on. The
wind howled fiercely about the solid log-
house and shook it to the very centre;
the rain commenced descending in per-
fect torrents, and I congratulated myself
on having secured comfortable shelter.
Being somewhat wearied by my hard
day's ride, I early expressed a desire to
retire for the night. Mrs. Meeks lit a
candle and showed me to my room,
which was up stairs, the house being
two-story.
I had not been in bed a great while
before, lulled by the falling rain on the
roof, I fell asleep.
How long I had been asleep I do not
know, but it must have been over two
hours, when I became conscious of foot-
steps swiftly, but lightly ascending the
stairs.
In an instant I was awake. My door
was pushed slightly opened, and Mrs.
Meeks said in a scarcely audible whisper:
"Jacob, are you awake?"
"I am," I replied in a whisper, "what
is the matter?"
"Two negroes are trying to enter the
front door, and I am sure they intend
to rob the house," replied Mrs. Meeks
in a very low whisper, but I must say a
remarkably firm tone for a woman that
was excited.
"Has your husband money about the
house?" I asked, rising up in bed.
"Not of his own, but he has several
hundred dollars school money, and it's
that they are after. Have you any
arms?"
"Fortunately, I have a brace of pis-
tols," said I. "They are true as rifles,
can you use one?"
"Yes," was the quick reply; and I
took one from under my pillow and
gave it to her.
I knew that Margaret Meeks was not
entirely unskilled in the use of fire arms,
and that she had a nerve that could be
depended on.
Half dressed, I followed the woman
cautiously down the stairs, each of us
holding a cocked pistol in our hands.
She pushed the stair door open. A
light was burning in the room, Mrs.
Meeks' best room, and it up the entire
apartment.
At this moment, the burglars having
succeeded in opening the outside door,
both sprang into the room. There was
a flash of fire, a cloud of smoke, and the
foremost fell, a ball from Mrs. Meeks'
pistol piercing his breast.
The second turned to fly, but a second
report from my own weapon stretched
him dead in the doorway. The report
of fire arms awoke the sleeping children,
and the utmost confusion reigned. When
all became quiet, I examined the fallen
robbers, and discovered they were not
negroes, but white men blacked.
Mrs. Meeks brought some water and
proceeded to wash the face of the man
she had killed. She had got about half
done when she shrieked:
"My God, my husband!" and fell
fainting on the floor. Her nerves, that
never failed in the hour of danger, gave
way at the new shock.

Receipts, Wit, &c.
SOFT GINGERBREAD. One teaspoonful
of sugar, same of molasses, half the
quantity of milk, one-quarter of a pound
of butter, a tablespoonful of ginger, a
teaspoonful of cream of tartar, one-half
a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little
water, cinnamon to taste, and flour
enough to make it of a proper consis-
tency. Beat all well together, and bake
in well-buttered tins.
TO BEESWAX LEAVES. First press
all leaves between books or paper till
perfectly dry; then iron them on several
thicknesses of brown paper, with a mod-
erately-hot iron, touching the beeswax
once for every leaf; iron first on the
right side then on the other, and spread
on a table to dry, not letting them touch
each other.
TO REMOVE THE SMELL OF BOILING
CABBAGE. Place a small piece of char-
coal in the pot.
A lady friend of ours says that the
beautiful vistas of her soul-life be-
came blurred when she sends her hus-
band to the corner grocery with four
bits for a loaf of bread, and he come
back chewing cloves and tells how he
generously gave away the change to a
blind man with only one hind leg.—
San Francisco Mail.
When you are tired of twirling your
thumbs, sit down and see how fast
you can say, "Shoes and stockings shock
Susan in an inexplicable manner, and
inexorably she ceases sheathing her
shoes." It is worse than a Peter Piper
picked a peck of pickled peppers.
In olden times superstitious per-
sons, when about to choose a name for a
child, lighted a number of torches of an
equal length and thickness, to each of
which they gave a name, and the name
of the torch which burned the longest
was that which they chose for the child,
imagining by this means to insure it a
long life.
A Maine paper has an editorial
headed, "Why young men leave the
farm." We think it is because the farm
is a cumbersome and inconvenient thing
for a young man to take along with him.
Cheerfulness makes the mind
clear, gives tone to thought, and adds
grace and beauty to the countenance.
Sandwich Islanders are digging
for petroleum oil. They are digging in
the sand, where a cargo of it was lost.
Diogenes being once asked the
bite of which beast was the worst, an-
swered—"If you mean of wild beasts,
'tis the slanderer; if tame, the flatterer."
Faix, there's no gentleman in
this car. Lit me out conductor. All
the empty seats are full. The next time
I ride in a car I'll walk, so I will."
Two souls with but a single
thought.—Two ragmuffins climbing over
an orchard fence, with a fierce-eyed dog
in pursuit.
Nothing pleases us better than to
have our subscribers pay us promptly.
We have but little fault to find with
them, however, for as a rule they "re-
member the printer" with commendable
promptness.
The only true source of politeness
is consideration—that vigilant moral
sense which never loses sight of the
rights, the claims, and the sensibilities
of others. This is the one quality, over
all others, necessary to make a gentle-
man.

On Board an Immigrant Ship.
Capt. Penny, of the Star of the West,
whose family resides at Quincy Point,
arrived at Sydney, Australia, on the 10th
of September. From a lengthy article
in the Sydney Herald, about the ship,
the captain and its passengers, we copy
the following paragraphs:—
"The good ship Star of the West,
clipper built, barque-rigged, taut and
trim on deck and aloft, and commanded
by Capt. Penny, lies off Garden Island,
at the spot where she dropped her an-
chor last Monday, after her voyage from
New York, and had the larger portion
of her immigrant passengers on board
up to yesterday morning, as the arrange-
ments for landing the people and send-
ing them to places where they could find
employment had not been completed.
But from half-past nine o'clock till noon
yesterday, Mr. Frank B. Treat, from the
Immigration Office, was hard at work
explaining to the immigrants the pros-
pects of employment in different parts of
the colony, and marking the men off
upon his list to go to the town or district
they chose, after considering what was
told them. The scene on board was a
very striking one, as in addition to the
general appearance of the immigrants,
and their fitness as strong, healthy, in-
telligent people, for the career of colo-
nists in New South Wales, there was a
good deal of incident about the deck
and below indicative of life on board an
immigrant ship, for although the vessel
had been in port nearly three days, yet
the rules and customs which came into
play immediately the ship left the wharf
in New York Harbor were still observed.
"A finer lot of people, as regards
health and strength, could not be wished
for. The men look young, well-shaped,
of fair height, of good muscle, and as a
rule, of good appearance, and to judge
from their questions and remarks upon
the subject of employment, shrewd and
fairly intelligent. The women looked
like the wives of English workmen.—
There was an American, although not a
Yankee, look and air about the men, es-
pecially when they spoke, but this was
not observable in the case of the women,
and unless they were to tell the name of
the ship which brought them here they
would not be known ashore from those
who have come to the colony in the im-
migrant ships from Plymouth. Most of
them look young and strong, and all ap-
pear healthy; and though some of the
children do not appear quite so robust as
they might do, yet there was no trace of
sickness about them, and they were lively
enough. The medical officer of the
vessel, Dr. J. W. Battershell, had rather
an easy time of it during the voyage, as
there was little sickness amongst the im-
migrants. The adult who died succumbed
to chronic Bright's disease of the kid-
neys, from which he was suffering when
he came on board; and the three chil-
dren, whose death resulted from diptheria,
owed their fate to the circum-
stance that the first case of diptheria was
concealed from the doctor until it
had progressed to some extent, and
sowed the seeds of contagion in the two
others. With these exceptions the voy-
age was a healthy and pleasant one, and
the immigrants are, in respect of phys-
ical condition, a far better lot of people
now than they were before the voyage
commenced.
"The captain of the ship is a fine
specimen of the American skipper—big
in stature, kindly face, sociable and
pleasant to all, and though inclined to
maintain the superiority of Uncle Sam
over anybody else, he was willing, before
the morning was gone yesterday, to ad-
mit that Australia was a great country,
and that New South Wales surpassed
anything of which the people of New
York had any idea. He appeared to be
on the best of terms with the immi-
grants, and from the incidents connected
with a certain distribution of oranges,
and a pattering of little feet in the cabin
to bid 'Captain good-bye,' before leav-
ing the ship altogether, he seemed to be
on anything but unfriendly terms with
the children. The voyage had been so
pleasant that unlike other skippers, who
have experienced the annoyances that
usually arise from having a crowd of
passengers on board, he gives utterance
in answer to the question, 'Did he like
carrying immigrants?' a broad Ameri-
can 'Yes'; and to the inquiry, 'Would
you carry them again?' says he would;
but if he carried immigrants again, he
would know more about them at the
start.
Dinner time sent a procession of wom-
en and men to the galley, from which in
a few minutes they filed with tins of

Not an Uncommon Sort of Lying.
An old but vigorous-looking gentle-
man, seemingly from the rural districts,
got into a car and walked its full length
without receiving an invitation to sit
down. Approaching the gentleman who
had a whole bench to himself, he asked:
"Is this seat occupied?"
"Yes, sir, it is," imperiously he re-
plied.
"Well," replied the broad-shouldered
agriculturist, "I will keep this seat un-
til the gentleman comes."
The original proprietor withdrew him-
self haughtily to one end and looked in-
sulted. After a while the train got in
motion, and still nobody came to claim
the seat, whereupon the deep-chested
agriculturist turned and said: "Sir,
when you told me that this seat was oc-
cupied you told me a lie"—such was
his plain language. "I never sit near
a liar if I can avoid it; I would rather
stand up."

How to Make Newspapers.
There are a great many readers who
are quite sure that the editors don't
know how to do it. If these sagacious
and critical readers could only do the
editing, how many blunders and libel
suits would be avoided, how many able
articles would be written, what a tone
the papers would have, how many shin-
ing little hatchets would be ground!
The newspapers which these critical
readers are constantly seeking to edit are
like old bachelors' children—the best gov-
erned and the best behaved in the world.
But a Texas schoolboy has visited a
Galveston office and found out "how to
make newspapers." Here is his composi-
tion, read before the school after his
return:
"The head men sit down to their
desks and write on square pieces of pa-
per what to print in the paper. They
put them in a box and send them up
stairs. When they get up stairs a man
takes them and gives a lot of other men
every one a piece of this paper that is
written on. The man that the paper is
given to takes the types and fixes them
one after another so that they read what
the paper reads. A man then takes the
words and puts them in a box as they are
to be in the papers; then he takes the
box and places it in some machinery
that makes it go back and forth; then
there is a boy who stands over the ma-
chinery and puts the paper on the ma-
chinery, and then some books bring it
down over the box with the types in
and the types have ink on, the types
print on the paper, there is books that
take the paper up and lay it on another
machine that folds it up and then they
sell them. The end.

Oil Stains out of White Cloth.
Make a strong solution of borax wa-
ter—one tablespoonful of powdered bor-
ax to a pint of boiling water; place the
cloth on a clean board or table and rub
the oil stains well, using a clean brush
for that purpose, then rub dry with a
clean soft cloth.

"The mouth of the Amazon,"
said a professor of geography in a St.
Louis female seminary, "is the biggest
mouth in the world—present company
always excepted."

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discontinued previous to the payment of all
arrearages, unless at the option of the Publisher.
Advertisements correctly and conspicuously
inserted at the customary rates, and will be
charged until ordered out.
The privilege of annual Advertisers is limited
to their own immediate business.
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The following gentlemen are authorized
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SATURDAY, NOV. 3, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

Anonymous communications are not published.

TRIBUTE OF LOVE. The grave of Willie Lombard, was visited last Sunday, by the Sabbath school connected with the Universalist society, of which he was a member, and after some beautiful singing by teachers and scholars, the grave was completely covered with beautiful flowers, which were brought by the children as tributes of love for their lost companion. Mr. John O. Hall, superintendent of the school addressed the scholars, and Rev. G. W. Whitney made an impressive prayer. The services were quite touching and interesting.

LARGE WINDOWS. Mr. John O. Holden had yesterday the largest panes of glass set in front of his store, that were ever placed in any window in this town. They are about seven feet in length by three in breadth.

NEPONESSET BRIDGE. The building of that portion of Neponset bridge lying within the city limits, goes on slowly, much to the detriment of many of our citizens. If those who have charge of the matter knew the great inconvenience, trouble and vexation it causes the traveling public, we think they would hurry the work a little faster.

The sign tacked up on Hancock street, near Mr. Whitcomb Porter's, has blown or fell down, and the passers fail to notice any warning about the bridge being impassable, and many a person proceeds on his journey until arriving at the river, when he is obliged to turn about and go around through Milton before he enters the city. Often these dark, wet nights, persons proceed to the bridge before they learn of its being repaired, and in turning around they use words not the most polite and genteel. We believe the public is entitled to a better notification than that already given, and we hope some one will look into this matter.

STEPS OUT SUDDENLY. Mr. Bliss, the principal of the Willard School, drew from the town on Friday night a sum of money due him for services, and started for Boston. On Monday morning his scholars found they had no teacher. No one here had heard from him since he left for the city. All kinds of rumors were afloat, some thought he had been murdered or roughly handled in that city of wickedness, others surmised that he had decamped. Tuesday brought no tidings, and it appeared a greater mystery. On Wednesday Col. Parker received a dispatch from Mr. Bliss which solved the mystery,—he had been taken suddenly ill and was unable to return.

STATE ELECTION. On Tuesday next the annual State election opens. By the new law passed at the last session of General Court, every voter is required to have his name registered before he can vote. The Selectmen have caused a double quantity of Lists of Voters to be printed and posted, so as to give all a chance to see if their names are registered. Those of our citizens failing to attend to this matter before 8 o'clock next Tuesday morning, will lose their chance of balloting on that day.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS. The Democrats of Quincy assembled in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening last, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative to the General Court. The meeting was called to order by Wm. A. Hodges, Esq., Chairman of the Town Committee. Dr. W. S. Pattee was chosen President, and John H. Dea Secretary. J. G. Witham, W. A. Hodges and E. W. Underwood were appointed a committee to receive, assort and count ballots, when an informal ballot was taken with the following result: Abner B. Packard, 64; John Chamberlain, 6. The ballot was then made formal, and Col. Packard was declared the nominee.

Mr. Hodges read an agreement between the town committees of both Weymouth and Quincy, whereby it was agreed that Weymouth should have two of the three candidates to which the district is entitled in the years 1876 and 1877, Quincy to have two in 1878 and 1879, and so alternately until the expiration of ten years. The agreement was then ratified by the caucus.

After referring the selection of rallying committees and vote distributors to the Town Committee, and passing a vote of thanks to the President and Secretary of the meeting for the able and impartial manner in which they performed their duties, the meeting was dissolved.

CAUCUS. The Republicans held their caucus, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Representative to General Court, at the Town Hall last evening. Eldridge Clapp and Edwin Marsh were candidates for the office.

THIRIVING. The new boat club lately organized at Atlantic, is now in full tide of success. At the last meeting, Oct. 31st, ten new members signed the constitution, making the number of members 42. They have now four splendid boats, a beautiful little hall to spend their evenings in, furnished with every comfort that any club could wish. They are about to furnish a Gymnasium, to develop their muscles the coming winter months. We wish them prosperity in their undertakings.

SAD BEREAVEMENT. Mr. George H. Locke and family have been sadly afflicted by sickness and death. An only and dearly loved son and brother, after a long and suffering illness, died on Saturday last, and father and sister mourn his loss.

DISAPPEARANCE. Robert Mills of East Weymouth has mysteriously disappeared from his home, not having been seen since early Tuesday morning.

Local Items.

A gold chain and charm has been found on Elm street.

Wm. A. Coffin will receive orders for moving furniture, pianos, &c.

The Charitable Society held their annual meeting next Monday afternoon, at Mrs. Benjamin Curtis's house.

The Adams Academy Foot Ball Eleven, will play the Resolute Eleven this afternoon, on their grounds, on Greenleaf street. Game begins at 3 o'clock.

It will be seen by referring to our business notices, that Mr. Wm. Hobart is prepared to dress hogs at a short notice and in the best manner.

At the convention held at Braintree, on Saturday last, by the Democrats to nominate a candidate for Senator for the East Norfolk Senatorial District, our townsman Hon. John Quincy Adams was nominated.

Mr. Harvey F. Whitcher, brother of the late John D. Whitcher, who has been visiting his home since September, intends returning to California next week.

The annual meeting of the High School Association will be held at the Lyceum Room, on Wednesday evening next.

Quincy has another new doctor as will be seen by our advertising columns. He has leased a house of Mr. Josiah P. Quincy on Hancock street, near Mr. John Faxon's.

The building recently occupied by John D. Whitcher & Co. as a boot manufactory, on Summer street, is to be let.

The Adams Academy foot ball eleven had a "sit down" at Mr. D. French's, on Thursday evening. The festive board was graced by the presence of Prof. Dimmock.

D. B. Stetson has all kinds of inner soles and merino seamless boots and shoes. His stock of rubber goods is large and of good quality.

It will be seen by our advertising columns, that Chas. T. Stancombe is prepared to post bills, circulars, &c. We have employed him on several occasions and found him to be a prompt and faithful person for the business, and would recommend him to our citizens.

A Western Union Telegraph office was opened in the new brick depot, at Wollaston on Thursday.

Mr. James Blanche, an aged and highly respected citizen, died very suddenly at his home yesterday morning.

The invitation we extended to furnish news items and births was responded to this week. Two births have been sent us from Braintree, and we hope next week that we shall be able to chronicle some in Quincy.

The Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company has decided to pay hereafter a dividend of fifty per cent. on all expiring policies of five years; and thirty per cent. on three years. The Company has a cash fund of \$300,000; and a cash surplus over re-insurance of \$158,000.

A horse belonging to our lumber merchant, R. H. Pomroy, was taken with the blind staggers while passing along Hancock street last Saturday evening. Dr. Jones was called, and after giving the animal a dose of Col. Packard's ink he was able to proceed on his journey.

The untimely death of this town will assemble *en masse* at the Town Hall, on Monday evening next, to receive advice and encouragement from William Wirt Warren of Brighton, Thomas Riley of Boston, and other eminent speakers, including our distinguished townsman Hon. John Q. Adams, who we are informed, has consented to preside at the meeting.

Shoe and boot manufacturing at North Weymouth is in a state of fair prosperity. Alexis Torrey & Co. are doing a fair business. John E. Stoddard is running on a fair supply of orders from the West and South. Bicknell & Holbrook's and Augustus Beale's factories show signs of prosperity. The same favorable condition of things is apparent at the manufactory of Geo. E. Read, who turns out a good article of walnut chamber furniture for the New England and New York trade. His machinery is propelled by a 25-horse power engine, made by the Exeter Machine Company.

A mammoth cheese weighing 100 pounds, made by Temple & Palmer, Providence, is now on exhibition at the wholesale and retail store of Cobb, Bates & Yerxa, Washington street, Boston.

UNITARIAN CONFERENCE. The Conference of Unitarian Churches of Norfolk County was held at the Unitarian Church, Milton Centre, Wednesday. The church was very crowded and much interest manifested. The President of the Conference, J. Manson Everett, was in the chair, and after prayer by Rev. F. Frothingham, the junior pastor of the church, addressed the meeting, alluding in the course of his remarks to the decrease of three earnest workers in this conference,—Rev. Nathaniel Hall, Rev. F. T. Washburn, and Rev. T. J. Mumford, Rev. F. C. Williams of Hyde Park, Secretary of the Conference, read the report of the last meeting and asked for any items of interest from the various churches, and the representatives of some of them briefly responded.

The sermon, or rather address, for it was entirely extempore, by Rev. Wm. H. Channing, occupied an hour and a half, and was a masterly and a very beautiful production.

At the close of the address the company were invited to the Town Hall to partake of a collation, which was provided by the society.

Remarks were made in the afternoon by Rev. Messrs. Tilden and Shippen and Rev. Dr. Morison, senior pastor of the church, and others.

The officers of the previous year were re-elected.

Thanksgiving day has been appointed for Thursday the 29th ult., by Governor Rice and President Hayes.

Athletic Games.

The students of Adams Academy celebrated Founder's Day, Tuesday last, with a series of athletic games on the fine foot-ball ground on Greenleaf street. The day was one of the finest of the entire season, and a large assembly gathered to witness the series of contests arranged by the committee, F. Warren, T. C. Thacher, G. W. Williams, W. I. Badger, J. D. Bardwell. The games passed off in good shape, the winners, time and distance being as follows:—Running broad jump, G. B. Morison, 15 ft., 9-14 in.; mile run, G. B. Morison, 3m. 37-1-4; running high jump, F. Warren, 4ft., 6 in.; with a second prize to O. S. Howard, whose record was 4ft., 4-3-4 in.; hundred yards dash,—first class, (over 16 years of age) first heat, W. I. Badger, 12-1-2; second heat, F. Warren, 11-1-2;—final and decisive heat, W. I. Badger, 11-1-4; second class, (under sixteen years of age),—first heat, W. R. Trask, 12-1-4; second heat, G. P. Keith, 13-1-4;—final and decisive heat, W. R. Trask, 11-1-2;—throwing base ball, H. L. Leatherbee, 28-7ft., 6 in.; foot ball kick, C. W. Bliss, 27-2; two-mile walk, C. A. Baldwin, 20m., 27-2; three-legged race, course 100 yards, H. R. Woodward and H. G. Chapin, 14-3-4. J. P. Worden acted as Starter, Brooks Adams and W. R. Tyler as Judges, Hon. J. Q. Adams as Referee, and J. O. Holden as Timekeeper.

In the afternoon there was a game of foot ball between the Roxbury Latin School eleven, and the Adams Academy eleven, in which the Adams' boys were victors.

Catholic Fair.

The Fair is still in progress, and next week will be the exciting week. The voting for a doll on the Sunday School Table last week, resulted in favor of Ella Mahoney, who had 242 votes, Minnie Moynihan having 240. On the Young Women's Sodality Table there are several articles to be voted for. A boy's ulster overcoat, for which the contestants are Frank Garbarino, John Walsh, John W. Golden and Dan Deasy. On this the polls will close at 9-1-2 o'clock Tuesday evening. The votes on the other articles stand as follows:

AMETHYST RING.
Stephen Swain, 100
John Webb, 119
Thomas McDonnell, 109
On this the polls will close Wednesday evening next.

CADET FLAG.
St. John's Cadets, 350
St. Mary's Cadets, 270

TEMPERANCE BADGE.
John R. Graham, 150
John Cavanaugh, 129
George Cahill, 100
William Webb, 100

LADY'S GOLD WATCH.
Mary Goodhue, 408
Mary Jane Campbell, 251
Maria Flynn, 228
Claudine Vogle, 211
Maggie Baunon, 203
On this the polls will close next Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

THE LAST ROSE. Mr. G. Frederick Wilson sent a beautiful rose bud to this office last Monday, which he had just plucked from a bush growing in his garden. This must certainly be "The last rose of summer," for Jack Frost, with his rude touch, has spoiled all the handsome flowers, and nothing is left but blackened leaves and stalks to remind us of Nature's departed beauty.

CUSTOM WORK. Mr. J. Franklin Burrell, has taken part of the store adjoining J. H. Veazie's apothecary store, where he is prepared to manufacture or repair boots and shoes in the best and neatest manner. Mr. Burrell is a thorough workman having had long experience in the business, and he feels competent that he can give good satisfaction.

FOOT BALL. Saturday afternoon a match game was played between the Harvard Freshmen and the Adams Academy eleven, on the latter's grounds. The result was in favor of the Harvard boys, two goals against one goal and four touchdowns gained by the Adams Academy. Game was called on account of darkness.

DISTRICT COURT. Cases disposed of the past week:

John Birmingham, of East Weymouth, for an assault on John Haggerty of Quincy. After hearing for several days from Deputy Sheriff French and State Detective Allen, who were in close pursuit, he on Saturday morning last delivered himself to Officer Allen. On being taken before the Court it was found that he had stabbed Haggerty 25 to 30 times with a knife. It appeared in evidence that several parties were on a fighting drunk, and it being a difficult matter for five or six drunken men to help each other to their homes without fighting, knives, stones, &c., were brought into requisition, and in the general melee Birmingham picked into Haggerty with a knife. Held in \$500 to appear before the Grand Jury in December. J. L. Eldridge, Esq., appeared for defendant.

Fessenden Besse, of Holbrook, for being drunk. Plead guilty, and fined \$3 and costs.

GENERAL THAYER'S REMAINS. The Association of Graduates of the United States Military Academy having determined to remove from South Braintree to West Point, the remains of the late Colonel Sylvanus Thayer, Brevet Brigadier-General, and to erect over them a suitable monument, General Scollard has issued an order directing that appropriate military honors be paid on that occasion. The remains will be removed the coming week.

A petition is being circulated and will be presented to the next legislature, praying that the village known as East Stoughton may be annexed to Randolph.

A Brockton bakery finds ready sale every Sunday morning of four hundred loaves of brown bread, together with over forty quarts of baked beans, besides numerous "family jars," sent in for baking.

For the Patriot.

Braintree.

The Braintree Temperance Union held their usual monthly meeting at the Methodist church on Sabbath evening last. The meeting was opened in the usual manner, the presiding officer (for the evening) in his opening remarks stated that it was proposed that certain gentlemen, who had been invited to take part in the meeting, should entertain the audience with a history of the temperance movement, as learned from their own experience and observation. In closing, his remarks were of a political nature, urging it as a duty to vote the Pitman ticket, or to substitute the name of Pitman for governor on other tickets at the coming election. He then called upon one of the expected speakers; who in a very humorous manner gave an account of his experience in the work. A second speaker was then called upon, who responded by saying that when he was invited to take part in the meeting he understood it to be a temperance gathering, and not a Pitman meeting, and as he did not intend to vote that ticket he asked to be excused. A third speaker was then invited forward, who spoke of the previous speaker by name, but in not a very complimentary manner. That gentleman arose, and in a very decided manner said he objected to such personal remarks, but his objection not being heeded he left the meeting to themselves. Others were called upon, who responded, after which the meeting was closed as usual.

Query: Has the Braintree Temperance Union become a political organization? Some of our fast young men, who were making more noise on Sunday evening than friends of good order desired, were advised by Mr. Porter, the night police, to be quiet, but they were slow to take good advice. Mr. Porter then fired his revolver in the air, and they were fast young men again and scattered accordingly.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.
By the President of the United States.

The complete circle of summer and winter seed time and harvest has brought us to the accustomed season at which a religious people celebrates with praise and thanksgiving the enduring mercy of Almighty God. This devout and public confession of the constant dependence of man upon the Divine Father for all good gifts of life and health and peace and happiness, so early in our history made the habit of our people, finds its joyful and grateful manifestations. In all blessings which depend upon the bountiful seasons this has, indeed, been a memorial year.

Over the wide territory of our country, with all its diversity of soil and climate and products, the earth has yielded a bountiful return to the labor of the husbandman. The health of the people has been brightened by no prevalent or widespread diseases. No great disasters of shipwrecks upon our coasts or to our commerce on the seas have brought loss and hardships to merchants or mariners and clouded the happiness of the community with sympathetic sorrow. In all that concerns our strength and peace and greatness as a nation; in all that touches the permanence and security of our government and the beneficent institutions on which it rests; in all that affects the character and dispositions of our people and tests our capacity to enjoy and uphold the equal and free condition of society now permanent and universal throughout the land, the experience of the last year is conspicuously marked by the protecting providence of God, and is full of promise and hope for the coming generations.

Under a sense of these infinite obligations to the Great Ruler of times and seasons and events, let us humbly ascribe it to our own faults and frailties if in any degree that perfect concord and happiness, peace and justice, which great mercies should diffuse through the hearts and lives of our people, do not altogether and always and everywhere prevail. Let us with one spirit and with one voice lift up praise and thanksgiving to God for His manifold goodness to our land and His manifold care for our nation.

DISCHARGED. Emory William Shaw, who has been lying in Dedham jail since last December, awaiting trial on the charge of murdering Simeon Smith of Weymouth, was arraigned before Chief Justice Gray on Tuesday and discharged upon his personal recognizance of \$1000 in case of flight. Government should find sufficient evidence to hold him for trial at some future day.

The wife of Miles Klynth, of Chicago, it is said, has given birth to four pairs of twins within six years, and last week presented her husband with triplets. Seven of the children are living.

Ewell & Co., have the Patent Safety Surprise Burner for sale.

First Church. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:30 by Rev. W. H. Woodward.

Christ Church. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

Congregational Church at Wollaston. Services at 2:30 P. M. and 7:30 P. M. Sunday School at 2:30 P. M. In the evening the Pastor will preach the third of his discourses on the subject of "The Sabbath." Subject:—The formation of character.

Spiritualist Meeting. Mr. A. E. Briggs from Boston will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2:30 P. M.

Universalist Church. At 10:30 A. M., the pastor will deliver the third sermon of the People's Course. Subject:—The Penitent Thief. Sunday school immediately following.

Meeting for Prayer and Conference in the Parsonage, every Friday evening, commencing at 7:30.

Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate. By virtue of a Power of Sale contained in a Mortgage Deed given by Daniel F. Bates to the South Scituate Savings Bank, dated December 14, 1871, and recorded with the County Registry of Deeds, Lib. 418, fol. 102, and for a breach of the conditions of said Mortgage Deed, there will be sold at Public Auction, upon the premises, on SATURDAY, the first day of December next, at 1 o'clock, A. M., the real estate described in said Mortgage Deed.

A certain lot of land situated in Cohasset, and formerly owned by John and Aaron Pratt, all the buildings and improvements thereon. Also, one other lot of land, containing one-half acre, be the same, more or less, situated on the northerly side of Beachwood street,—the said Pratts, being the same conveyed to said John and Aaron Pratt, by deed, dated Dec. 1, 1871.

All the buildings situated on the last named lot.

SOUTH SCITUATE SAVINGS BANK. By BENJAMIN T. FORD, Treasurer.

Nov. 3, 1877.

Puzzle.

We have received but two answers to the puzzle which we published last week. Mrs. Mary C. Marsh, of Milton, gives the following, which it will be seen is very nearly correct:—

"In 1793 France was divided, laws and religion set aside, monarchy overturned, and revolution in every corner." "Accept this answer, I only ask it. May have a place in your waste-basket; Please thank your contributor, whoever he be. For puzzling the brains of a dunce like me." The other answer was from an anonymous writer, and is not very accurate. The following is the correct solution:—

"In 1793 France was divided, the laws defaced, religion set aside, monarchy overturned, and revolution in every corner."

Your Vote for Sheriff.

We wish the people of Quincy to understand that Mr. A. B. Endicott, of Dedham, the Democratic nominee for Sheriff, is a gentleman well known in this County, who deserves an election and will accept if elected; all rumors that he will not are unfounded.

ACCIDENT. Mr. Thomas Lord, a real estate agent of Boston was driving through Commercial street, Weymouth, last Sunday, when an axle broke, throwing him to the ground. His left leg and two ribs were broken. Dr. Tinkham attended him, he was taken to his home in Boston.

We would call our reader's attention to the advertisement of the Journal of Chemistry, an illustrated scientific journal. All articles published in it, with rare exceptions, are written for it, and the selections made, are from the best sources in the country.

FOUND.

On Elm street in Quincy, a Chain with Gold Piece attached, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges, on applying to Mrs. J. W. MOORE, Gay Street, Quincy, Nov. 3.

Bill Posting.

THE subscriber is prepared to carry to all parts of Quincy, Bills, Circulars, Programs, Cards, &c., at short notice. Also, to send bills to the most conspicuous and best places in town. Prompt and careful attention given to all orders.

QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION.
THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Quincy High School Association, will be held in the Lyceum Room, Town Hall, WEDNESDAY EVENING, Nov. 7, 1877, at 7:30 o'clock.

A change is desired in article 8 of the By-Laws, by striking out:—"There shall at each Annual Session, however, be an Oration and Poem delivered by a member of the Association."

Per order of the President
JESSE F. CURTIS, Sec'y.

HOGS! HOGS!!

THE subscriber would inform the public that he is prepared to

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in the best manner, and at short notice. Orders will receive prompt attention by being left with J. H. HOBART, Pearl Street, Quincy, Nov. 3.

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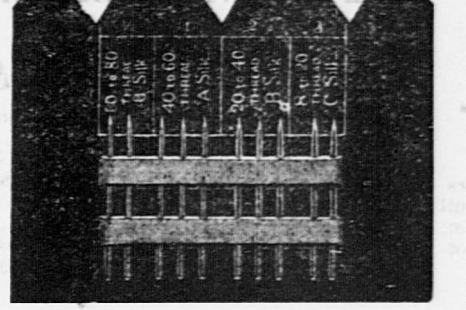
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WEEKLY	ALMANAC.	FULL SEA	Moon
		Morn. Eve.	Rises.
Saturday, Nov. 3,	9.15 9.45	4.32 A.	
Sunday, "	4, 10.15 10.45	5.49 "	
Monday, "	5, 11.00 11.30	sets "	
Tuesday, "	6, 12.00 12.40	5.17 P.	
Wednesday, "	7, 12.30 12.45	6.01 "	
Thursday, "	8, 1.15 1.30	7.01 "	
Friday, "	9, 2.00 2.30	8.05 "	

Quincy Scenery.

The following article, written two weeks ago for our columns, was unavoidably laid over by a press of advertising, but is none the less true and interesting to-day.

"Ever charming, ever new,
When will the landscape tire the view?"

Brown October is now at the zenith of its gorgeous glory, and at no time did our ancient and favored village present a lovelier aspect than at the present. So thought we as we took our Sunday afternoon ramble over President's Hill, through forest, bush, and bramble to Wollaston Heights.

"Autumn laying here and there,
A fiery finger on the leaves."

And lending a charm to the grand panorama presented of town and village, dome and farm, and the sparkling waters of the Bay, studded with numerous islands. The view presented from the youthful and airy village of Wollaston Heights never tires, is "ever new," and will repay the lover of the picturesque for a visit to its scenic borders. Among the prominent objects of interest presented to the vision of the interested beholder rises the historic "Merry Mount," where the jolly Morton and his band of foresters held high revel, and danced around the May Pole in ye olden time.

But we will not tire our readers at this time, with further enumeration of the many pictures presented on Nature's canvas from this point, as many of them, doubtless, have climbed the steep, but content ourselves with quoting from Dr. Wm. S. Patten's unpublished History of Quincy, (now in the hands of the printer,) a few paragraphs, showing that the Divine Artist spared no pains in beautifying our rare old town. The Doctor says:

"No better description can be given of the natural scenery of Quincy, than the following by the eccentric sovereign of Merry Mount. In viewing with admiration the beauties of nature from his rude castle, which is said to have been located on the Mount, near the lone, barren tree, which has for ages withstood the blasting storms as the only living emblem of the past, Morton gives the following poetical and truthful picture of the natural scenery of our beautiful village, before the white man's hand had adorned it by art and cultivation:

"In the month of June, 1622," he says in his New England Canaan, "it was my chance to arrive in the parts of New England, with thirty servants, and provision of all sorts fit for a plantation; and while our houses were building, I endeavored to take a survey of the country. The more I looked the more I liked it.

"And when I had more seriously considered the beauty of Quincy, than all her fair endowments, I did not think that in all the known world it could be paralleled. For so many goodly groves of trees, shrubby woods, rising like locks; delicate, fair, large plains; sweet, crystal fountains, and clear running streams, that twice in five meanders through the marshes, and sovered with a murmuring noise to hear, as would even all the senses with delight aspen, so pleasantly do they glide upon the pebbles, jutting most luxuriously where they do meet, and hand-in-hand run down to Neptune's court, to pay the yearly tribute which they owe to him, as sovereign and lord of all the springs. Contained within is the volume of the land, fowls in abundance, fish in multitudes; and discovered millions of turtle doves on the ground, which sat pecking of the full, ripe, pleasant grapes, that were supported by the lusty trees, whose fruitful and dense the arms to bend; while the birds and dispersed you might see a filly, and of the Daphne tree, which made the land to seem Paradise. For mine eye 'twas Nature's masterpiece, he didst gaze of all, where lives the best of all, where the world poor."

For the Patriot.

Birthday Party.

A pleasant occasion was enjoyed on Friday evening of last week, at the residence of J. G. Hicknell, corner of High and Elmwood Avenues, Wollaston. It being the birthday of Miss Edith E. Hicknell, a number of her young friends (about twenty) assembled at her home for the purpose of spending a social evening with her and her family, and to wish her many returns of the happy event.

A bountiful collation was prepared by her lady friends, which was partaken of to the party with much pleasure. The only part of the evening was spent in singing songs and gospel hymns from the Thimble Collection, and some conversation among friends. Miss Edith sang taking a prominent and very pleasing part at the organ, in both singing and singing.

About forty scholars were absent from the M. E. school on Friday last week on account of the measles. Gov. Williams of Indiana, had a cornfield of 500 acres this season. A blackberry bush in the garden of Aaron Thomas, in South Abington, had some fruit ripening on the bushes last week. A tumbler full of ripe raspberries were picked in a garden in Salem, last Saturday. J. H. Clapp, Esq., of East Weymouth, had a chicken taken by him for his pet, which he has exhibited symptoms of hydrophobia. Being pronounced incurable, the horse has been killed. The largest boulder in Vermont is called the "Great Mountain Stone," which lies on the hill in Whitingham, and contains forty thousand cubic feet. The cranberry and quince crops are enormous at the Vineyard this season.

Temperance.

DEAR PATRIOT:—As the election approaches we have the usual appeal on the prohibition hobby, and the left-handed stroke at the foreign voters. It is used to be thought that only American citizens had a right to the franchise, but it would seem that in Quincy foreign voters are voters. The writer of the article referred to, holds the opinion that the foreign element is the main-stay of rum-drinking. This is one of the many political mistakes made by the prohibitionists. There is a large proportion of the inhabitants of Quincy of foreign birth or parentage; it is not saying too much that they, as a class, are as honest and industrious as any other portion of the people, and although a large majority of them do not vote for prohibition, they are, in proportion to their numbers, the most sober and temperate people in town. There are many reasons why they do not vote for prohibition, and one of them is a moral question, and is introduced into politics only as a blind, to enable second-class men to obtain offices which they could not get on a fair issue.

3d.—Prohibition does not mean temperance. The experience of the last twenty years proves that many men who are the loudest advocates of prohibition are themselves drinking men, and that prohibition is not a preventive of drunkenness. The records of our District Court will show that Weymouth, a model temperance town, where intoxicating drinks are not allowed to be sold, has more drunkenness than any other town in the State. The records of our District Court will show that Weymouth, a model temperance town, where intoxicating drinks are not allowed to be sold, has more drunkenness than any other town in the State.

4th.—It is better that any revenue which may be raised by granting licenses shall be paid into the town treasury, rather than as subsidies to officers who cannot see a bottle of liquor without a dollar bill, but whose eyes are wide open if they are not seen by the barkeeper. The assertion that the foreign element is beguiled into their support of Democrats and afterwards scratched on the forehead may be true, but if so it only proves that such men are consistent with their principles, notwithstanding personal ill-treatment from political associates.

The great mistake of prohibitionists who are sincere in their advocacy of temperance, is that they begin at the wrong end. Instead of denouncing the manufacture and sale of intoxicating drinks, they should denounce the drunkard, and the letter written by the ex-foreman of the Quincy Temperance Society, as an excuse for his fish glut, is like that made by a thief who sees money in a man's hand, or jewelry in a watchmaker's window,—he saw them and could not resist the temptation. But such an excuse avails the thief nothing when he is caught, why should the drunkard be forgiven and become a brute? The sympathies of the public are rather due to the poor barkeeper, who is so sorely tempted by the money which the drunkard is ready to squander on his unwholesome appetite, while he is generally a very miser for everything but his own selfishness. His children may need shoes, or his wife a shawl, but he cannot afford to do so at the same time he will beg or borrow, and often steal to procure drink. If any method could be devised to prevent people from using intoxicating drinks, nobody would manufacture them nor would any be sold.

One argument prohibitionists are extremely fond of using is, that those who vote in favor of license are against temperance. Nothing can be more unjust. The prohibitionists are not against temperance, but are far better and more consistent temperance men, as rummies, who will not adopt their wild and impracticable theories as sound political principles. The State of Maine is quoted as an example of the operation of the Liquor Law. Heaven help the man who would be induced to drink with him, that is sold in one town in that State, and in another town in the same State, and in a third town in the same State, and in a fourth town in the same State, and in a fifth town in the same State, and in a sixth town in the same State, and in a seventh town in the same State, and in an eighth town in the same State, and in a ninth town in the same State, and in a tenth town in the same State, and in an eleventh town in the same State, and in a twelfth town in the same State, and in a thirteenth town in the same State, and in a fourteenth town in the same State, and in a fifteenth town in the same State, and in a sixteenth town in the same State, and in a seventeenth town in the same State, and in an eighteenth town in the same State, and in a nineteenth town in the same State, and in a twentieth town in the same State, and in a twenty-first town in the same State, and in a twenty-second town in the same State, and in a 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Poetry.

For the Patriot.

Old Friends.
I would not forget them — I shall not forget
My friends of a long time ago,
With heart-felt affection I think of them yet,
And share in their pleasure or woe.
How pleasant to think on the days that have
gone,
When neighbors and friends altogether,
We met for enjoyment of frolic and fun,
And happy, despite wind or weather.
Old time may be busy to wrinkle the brow,
But let him, we will not complain,
From true hearted friendship to time will not
bow,
Unchanging it will ever remain.

The days of our youth, tho' forever gone by,
In memory we live o'er again,
And though it may cause us a tear or a sigh,
Its pleasures o'erbalance the pain.

Oh, love-garmented memory, how precious thou art!
Midst life's many trials, and never in vain;
I call from thy treasures a balm for the heart,
And bring the departed to bless me again.

F. M. ADELINGTON.
Weymouth, Mass.

Agricultural, &c.

The Value of Dry Earth

In the hen-house, more especially
where wooden floors are in use, is not
generally appreciated. Any kind of
clean loam, or clay-soil, will answer.
But it should be gathered now, before
the fall rains render it heavy and soggy,
and plentifully stored away in a corner
or heap, inside the poultry-house.

Occasionally, a portion of this fresh
earth may be thrown around the floors,
or scattered under the roosts. A com-
post heap may shortly be begun. Mix
the droppings from the roosts where the
fowls pass the night with some of this—
Rake it away once or twice in a fort-
night—and, next spring, you will have a
rich mass of manure for your vegetable
garden, or top-dressing for the grass, or
lawn around the house, that cannot be
excelled for its quality. It will cost you
nothing but a little easy labor once a
week. The earth will help to keep your
house-atmosphere pure, and, if you add
the fallen leaves around you to the mass,
it will be improved, when they rot away
during the winter.

THE FALLEN LEAVES should be gathered
this month and next, to be strewn
upon the hen-house floors. These are a
grand thing for the pent-up birds, while
they last, and when they are trodden
down and become mixed with the dropp-
ings of the confined fowls, they form an
excellent material to add to the compost
heap, for use in the vegetable garden
next spring. Those who have tried this
plan, consider this mixture quite equal
to the same quantity of guano for enrich-
ing the soil, and the ex-
penses of this preserving both is but
nominal.

BEDDING STOCK. It is quite import-
ant at this season of the year to provide
a sufficient amount of warm bedding for
stock, and the "orts" and coarser hay
and straw that are rejected by the cat-
tle may be used for this purpose. At
other and warmer seasons sand makes a
very clean and useful litter, and we like
to use it freely, but it does not impart
that warmth that is needed in extreme
cold weather. Leaves that are collected
in the fall are excellent for this purpose,
and they have the advantage that they
are not so full of weed-seed as the coarse
hay from the mangers. If we have
plenty of leaves we would use them
freely for bedding now.—Ploughman.

ASPARAGUS BEDS. Though the plant
is perfectly hardy, it will come earlier
and stronger if the bed is well covered;
this is not practised in field culture, but
in the kitchen garden it is well to put
on four inches or more of coarse, littery
manure.

Anecdotes.

Mme. X. has just sent away her cook,
who had too many military visitors, and
replaced her by a guileless country lass.
The other day she took a look in the
kitchen and saw a superb-looking soldier
tasting a bowl of soup.
"Is it possible you, too, are guilty of
this kind of thing Sophie?"
"Please, ma'am, you are mistaken.
This is no doubt one of the soldiers left
over by the last cook."

"What gender is sugar?" asked a
teacher of the grammar class.
"What kind of sugar?" asked a boy.
"What kind?" repeated the teacher.
"What has that to do with it?"
"Why, if it's maple sugar it's femi-
nine gender," said the boy.
"Why feminine gender?" asked the
teacher, with a puzzled face.
"Because you can't tell it's age,"
promptly replied the boy.

A florist was showing an Irishman
over his establishment the other day—
"Now, said he, 'we'll just look in for
a moment at the germinating house.'"
"The German 'ating house is it?"
replied the other.
"Troth, and I'm glad, for it's hungry
I am. But isn't there some Irish drink-
in' saloon just as handy?"

"It doesn't take me long to make up
my mind, I can tell you!" said a con-
fected fop.
"It's always so where the stock of
material to make up is small," quietly
remarked a young lady.

"Well, miss," said a knight of the
bierchnotted, "you can decline a kiss?"
"Yes, sir," replied the girl, dropping
a courtesy, "I can, but I had rather
not."

The following incident happened in
one of the public schools:
Teacher—"Define the word exca-
vate."
Scholar—"It means to hollow out."
Teacher—"Construct a sentence in
which the word is properly used."
Scholar—"The baby excavates when
it gets hurt."

Conundrums.

Why is the inside of everything unin-
teelligible? Because you can't make it
out.
When is the best time to read the
book of nature? When autumn turns
the leaves.
Why is a young lady before marriage
never right? Because she is all the time
a miss.
What three letters will give the name
of a famous Roman General? C P O
(Scipio).
Why is a cowardly soldier like butter?
Because he is sure to run when exposed
to fire.

Revolution, not Prostration.
Did any enfeebled human being ever become
strong under the operation of powerful cathartics or
salivators? It is sometimes necessary to regulate
the bowels, but that cannot be done by active purga-
tives, which exhaust the vital forces and serve no
good purpose whatever. The only true way to pro-
mote health and vigor, which are essential to regu-
larity of the organic functions, is to invigorate, dis-
ciple and purify the system at the same time. The
extraordinary efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitter
in cases of debility or irregularity of the organs of
digestion, assimilation, secretion and discharge,
universally admitted. Appetite, good digestion,
a regular habit of body, active circulation of the
blood, and other types of malady disease. To en-
gauge, moreover, as a preventive of chills and
fevers, and travelers it is particularly serviceable as
a medicinal safeguard.

Trees! Trees!!

As the season is now at hand to plant all
kinds of Trees, I wish to inform my
friends and patrons, and the public in general,
that I have on hand

ALL KINDS OF
Fruit & Ornamental Trees,
—AND—
SHRUBBERIES.
Also, — A Variety of
GRAPE VINES,
From one to three years old.
Currants and Gooseberries,
At my Nursery near the National
Sailors' Home.
All orders promptly attended to.
MARTIN PFAFFMAN.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

SINGING BIRDS,
FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has just received at his Avi-
ary on Washington Street, near D. F.
French's Boarding Establishment, a large vari-
ety of "Feathered Songsters," including
Canaries, Mocking Birds,
Bulfinches, Cardinals, &c.,
which he will dispose of at reasonable rates.
Also—BIRD CAGES.
Constantly on hand and for sale.—Seeds
Gravel Paper, and Cage Springs.
FRANK W. FRENCH.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

DRESS GOODS,
RECEIVED EVERY WEEK.

Sold at Lowest Prices.
By E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

TO LET,
HALF HOUSE, six rooms—on
Quincy Avenue, nearly opposite
the Court House, convenient and in
good repair. Apply to
H. W. GRAY.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

TO LET,
THE ROOMS recently occupied by the
Quincy Laundry. These rooms are light
and pleasant and suitable for manufacturing
purposes. Apply to
JOHN HALL.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

FOR SALE,
3 BUILDING LOTS, on elevated land, near
corner of Washington and Elm streets—
These lots are within five minutes' walk of the
Hotel, and near churches and schools.
For particulars enquire of
BENJ. F. CURTIS.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

FOR SALE,
COTTAGE HOUSE on Water
Street, near G. L. Baxter's Store.
Three minutes' walk from depot.
Formerly occupied by the late Louis P. White.
Inquire at 100 Tremont street, Boston.
I. WHITE.
Quincy, Sept. 29.

TO LET,
THE TWO-STORY BUILDING on Wash-
ington Street, near the Brook, lately occu-
pied by James W. Pierce. The two stories will
be let together or separately.
H. F. BARKER.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

HOUSE LOTS FOR SALE.
LOTS numbered 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 24, on
Crown Street, between Adams and
TOWN HILL, so called, and bounded by
Cape and Centre streets, Quincy.
Also, a lot of land situated at Hough Neck,
near the beach, No. 33, on plan drawn by
E. G. Pratt. For particulars, apply to
JOHN CRANE,
Quincy, April 8.

TO LET,
TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, suitable as
Chamber and Parlor, or two Chambers,
near Depot and Schools. Good board can be
obtained close by.
For particulars enquire at this Office.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

TO LET,
A convenient and pleasant TEN-
EMENT, in Faxon's Brick Block
Quincy, Aug. 11.

TO LET,
A modern built, Mansard roof
house, nearly new, containing eight
rooms, situated on Centre Street,
recently occupied by H. W. Hason.
C. H. HARDWICK.
Quincy, June 23.

TO LET,
A NICE TENEMENT on Han-
cock Street, next south of Adams
Street, in the premises.
Inquire on the premises.
JOSEPH UNDERWOOD.
Quincy, June 2.

TO LET,
HOUSE on Cottage Street.—In-
quire of
T. & W. V. HAYWARD.
Quincy, July 22.

Poster Printing, Cheap!
At the Patriot Office.

DR. S. D. HOWE'S

ARABIAN MEDICINES.

CONSUMPTION
CAN BE CURED.

This FACT has been fully demonstrated in
10,000 Cases by
DR. S. D. HOWE,
of New York, the GREAT
CONSUMPTION DOCTOR.
The Arabian Medicines,
Celebrated throughout the world for their remark-
able cures, and the ONLY MEDICINES that have
ever positively been known to CURE CONSUMP-
TION.

Dr. Howe's Arabian Milk Cure.
Dr. Howe's Arabian Tonic.
Dr. Howe's Arabian Liver Pills.

The Pills
Unlocks the liver, Cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia,
removes Constipation, Cures Fevers, and Biliousness,
cleanses the stomach and regulates the Liver and
Bowels.

The Arabian Tonic
Purifies, cleanses and fills the veins with Pure,
Rich, Life-giving Blood, vitalizes the whole
system, gives strength, creates a ravenous appetite,
and expels from the Liver through the blood, the
poisonous matter which the VENOM of the disease
breeds upon it.

A pleasant substitute for Cod Liver Oil, feeds the
stomach and nourishes the body, cures Cough, Em-
physema, Consumption, Catarrh of the Lungs and
Bronchial Phlegm, and assists nature in throwing
off the corrupt scum of matter that causes the
cough, and cures Consumption. It stops the cough
and cures Consumption.

Price of MILK CURE and TONIC
PILLS 25 Cents per Box.
JOHN R. YEAZIE, Druggist,
Sole Agent for Quincy, Mass.
Dr. S. D. HOWE, Proprietor,
122 Liberty Street, New York.
Oct. 27.

Stoves! Stoves!

The subscriber has on hand, and is prepared
to furnish
Cook, Parlor, and Office
STOVES,
OF THE BEST PATTERNS,
AT REASONABLE RATES.

Any STOVE, not in stock, will be ob-
tained at short notice.
TIN WARE
—AND—
Kitchen Furnishing Goods
CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Also—SINKS, LEAD PIPE and SHEET
LEAD.
FURNACES AND RANGES
Set and Repaired.
Jobbing promptly attended to.
E. S. FELLOWS.
Quincy, Oct. 13.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.
The subscribers have taken the Store on
Hancock Street, formerly occupied by
Charles F. Pierce, and hereafter they will keep a
CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Cook Stoves, Ranges,
Parlor and Office Stoves,
Including the celebrated
STEWART STOVES.
—AND—
A full assortment of TIN WARE and KITCH-
EN FURNISHING GOODS.
Furnaces, Ranges, and Stoves REPAIRED
at short notice.
Pumps set and Repaired.
Old Copper, Brass, Lead, and Rags, taken in
EXCHANGE for Ware. Terms Cash.
JAMES W. PIERCE.
R. M. SANBORN.
Quincy, Sept. 29.

M. HARTNEY'S
Quincy & Boston Express.

Business Transacted One-Fourth Less
than Usual Price.

LEAVE Quincy at 10 o'clock, A. M., and
Boston at 3 o'clock, P. M.
Orders in Quincy may be left at his residence
on School Street, at the Store of Daniel Bax-
ter & Co., C. Crane, E. Clapp, at E. R.
Boulton, at P. O. Box 221.
N. B. Furniture Moved with care and respon-
sibility. Money Orders promptly attended to.
Leave Quincy at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Boston
at 11 and 4 o'clock.
Quincy, Sept. 15.

WINSLOW'S
Quincy & Boston
Railroad Express.

(Formerly Ford's Express.)
BOSTON OFFICES.—34 Court Square, 59-1-2
Ribly Street, and at 77 Bedford Street
ORDER BOX, at 10 Faneuil Hall Square
ORDER BOXES.—At E. R. Boulton's and at the
Depot, Quincy.
Leave Quincy at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Boston
at 11 and 4 o'clock.
Quincy, Jan. 6, 1877.

PETER McCONARTY'S
Quincy & Boston Express.

Office in Boston, No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square.
In Quincy, at the Store of Daniel Bax-
ter & Co., C. Crane, E. Clapp, at E. R.
Boulton, at P. O. Box 221.
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Leave Quincy at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Boston
at 11 and 4 o'clock.
Quincy, Sept. 7.

WILLIAM GARRITY'S
Quincy & Boston Express.

(Formerly Farnall & Shea's)
Office in Boston, No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square.
In Quincy, at the Store of Daniel Bax-
ter & Co., C. Crane, E. Clapp, at E. R.
Boulton, at P. O. Box 221.
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sibility. Money Orders promptly attended to.
Leave Quincy at 8 o'clock, A. M., and Boston
at 11 and 4 o'clock.
Quincy, Jan. 13.

JAMES FAULKNER,
Florist and Landscape
GARDENER.

P. O. Box 128 East Milton, Mass.
All orders promptly attended to.
Boquets, Wreaths and Floral Designs
IN VARIETY.
GRANITE AVENUE, NORTH QUINCY, MASS.
January 20.

Pure Cider Vinegar,
MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE.
For sale by the barrel or gallon.
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

JOHN CURLEY,
HORSE SHOER,
AND JOBBER.

Particular attention given to Shoeing
tender-footed and interfering Horses.
Granite Street, Quincy,
Near Chubbuck's Store.
Quincy, Sept. 4.

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NORFOLK MUTUAL

Fire Insurance Company,
OF DEDHAM, MASS.

INCORPORATED IN 1825.
Cash Assets, January 1, 1877, \$255,977.01
Premium Notes, 509,636.62
Total Available Assets, \$765,613.63
Amount at Risk, 15,162,217.00

This Company insures Buildings and
Household Furniture only, STRICTLY ON THE
MUTUAL PLAN, and has never paid less than 50
per cent. dividend on every five year policy that
has expired since its incorporation.
IRA CLEVELAND, Pres't and Treas'r.
PRESTON R. MANFIELD, Sec'y.
THORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

DORCHESTER.
Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. O. NEPSON, Mass.
Ward 16, Boston, Mass.
E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.
Amount Insured by 6,894 Policies, \$11,192,940.00
On Real Estate, 2,298,367.00
On Personal, 1,894,267.00

Cash Assets.
Real Estate (Mortgage and Loan) \$21,000.00
Loaned on Mortgages, 23,500.00
Corporation Stock, 1,000.00
National Bank Stock, 14,500.00
Railroad Stock, 5,000.00
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, 20,844.00
Policies in Course of Collection, 11,912.26
Deposits on N. E. Trust Co., 900.00
Interest Due and earned to date, 1,950.50
Cash on Deposit, N. E. Trust Co., 26,462.19
do. do. in E. E. National Bank, 2,962.11
Furniture of Office, Halls, and Stores, 1,000.00

Amount of Deposit Notes available (with-
out assessments) to pay losses, 164,000.00
\$339,181.06
\$57,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$225,940.00 available
for the payment of losses to insureds at all
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The Company continues to insure the safer class
of property at current rates, and to pay Return Pre-
miums on terminated policies at 40 per cent. on five
year policies, 25 per cent. on three years, and 15 per
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CITIZENS'
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OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON.)
IS NOW PAYING
A Dividend of 80 per cent.
on seven year Policies, 60 per
cent. on 5, and 50 per cent. on
all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Barns and con-
tents, on the most favorable terms.
Cash Assets, Jan 1, 1877, \$290,735.23
Deposit Notes, in force, 309,058.52
Total, \$599,793.75
Liabilities, Unsettled claims for losses, \$3,440.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President,
J. W. PEABODY, Sec. and Treas.
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JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.
Quincy, Aug. 29.

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Insurance secured in any reliable Office.
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Insurance Agency,
Established in Quincy in 1840
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W. PORTER & CO.
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Residence, Quincy, corner Adams and Han-
cock Streets.
Quincy, April 25.

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Fire Insurance Company,
DEDHAM, MASS.

INCORPORATED 1837.
INSURES STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN.
The Company has a larger ratio of Assets,
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doing Mutual business in the State.
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ham: Wm. Mansfield, Canton: E. J. Bis-
ham, Dorchester; George B. Faunce, Boston
Highlands.
THORACE B. SPEAR, Agent,
Quincy, Sept. 22.

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE
Mutual Fire Insurance Company,
OF WYOMING.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND OTHER BUILDINGS
NOT EXTRA HAZARDOUS,
and their contents, at as low rates as at any
other reliable Company.
Amount at Risk April 1, 1873,
\$2,035,704.00.

Cash Assets, Jan 1, 1877, \$25,923.01
Deposit Notes, 76,428.57
Total available Assets, \$102,351.58
N. L. WHITE, President,
WM. B. DUGGAN, Agent, Quincy
Weymouth, Aug. 1.

Valuable Real Estate
IN QUINCY,
FOR SALE.

THE following described parcels of land sit-
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A valuable piece of land on Elm street, with
the buildings thereon, consisting of a Provision
Store, Shop, Barn, and other buildings. It has
a street on two sides, and being centrally lo-
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Also, on the same street, nearly opposite the
above mentioned premises, a piece of rich cul-
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upon the street, and adjoining the homestead
of the late Griddle Tottam.
Also, a valuable lot of Woodland in West
Quincy.
For further particulars apply to
MRS. GRIDLEY TOTTAM.
Quincy, May 19, 1877.

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Florist and Landscape
GARDENER.

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Boquets, Wreaths and Floral Designs
IN VARIETY.
GRANITE AVENUE, NORTH QUINCY, MASS.
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Pure Cider Vinegar,
MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE.
For sale by the barrel or gallon.
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

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HORSE SHOER,
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A CASE OF CONSUMPTION.
EAST STONEHAM, Oxford Co., Me.,
May 12th, 1873.
Messrs. SETH W. FOWLE & SONS:
Gentlemen—I feel it my duty to write
a few words in favor of Dr. WISTAR'S
BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. In the
early part of last winter I took a severe
cold, and shortly afterward a distressing
cough was added to it. My friends did
everything they could for me, but with-
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be procured did not relieve me, and my
cough continued with me all through the
winter with increasing severity. I spit
blood three or four times a day, and my
friends considering my case hopeless,
gave me up as a confirmed Consumptive.
I was in this condition when I heard of
Dr. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.
I began its use, and before I had
taken half a bottle of it my cough and
all my other troubles left me, and I was
cured. I feel so truly indebted to this
great remedy for what it has done for
me that I send you this voluntary testi-
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inducing others who are suffering as I
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Yours with respect,
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SATURDAY, NOV. 3, 1877.

Weymouth Items.

ENCOURAGING. The new school-house in East Weymouth is gradually approaching completion.

CLOSE OF LABORS. Rev. Mr. Wright closed his labors with the Baptist church, Weymouth, last Sunday.

SHOT. Mr. Albert Davinson shot a drake the other day, having spurs one-half inch long.

SMASH UP. A team belonging to Mr. Albert Spear of East Weymouth, employed in carting manure, while passing the factory of Mr. Alvah Raymond on Wednesday last, collapsed by the wheels crushing under the load.

GOOD SHOT. Mr. Theron Cushing, while gunning in Hockley woods, shot recently through the eye, at a distance of about 40 rods, a large black hawk. The bird measured 3 feet from tip to tip. Mr. Cushing is considered one of the best shots in town.—Weymouth Gazette.

State Manufacturing Items.

The jewelry box factory in Sandwich has started up, after being idle several months.

The Musgrave Alpaca Company are making, with their fifty looms, 1,500 yards of coating daily.

From present indications over 100 Boston manufacturers mean to exhibit at Paris next year, whether Congress helps or not.

Milton, Bradley & Co., toy and game manufacturers, Springfield, find their business better than it has been before at this season for three or four years.

Manufacturers on the Cape freely assert that at no period during the last three years, has the outlook been so encouraging as at the present time.

During the month of September, 2,395 cases of boots and shoes were shipped from Georgetown, an increase of 328 over the corresponding month of August.

The Iron Works at Bridgewater shipped six hundred tons of tack plate in September—the largest month's work at that line with one exception, previous by them.

The Lamb Knitting Machine Company, Gloucester Falls, is filling several orders in Germany. Each machine makes three dozen pairs of socks in ten hours.

F. A. Kennedy, of Cambridgeport, has just received an order from Galveston, Texas, for 800 dozen cans of his "Boston Baked Beans."

The Mauston pickle factory has taken this season over 12,000 bushels of cucumbers for pickles, and the entire crop already contracted to a firm in Chicago. They propose to make 1,000 barrels of pickles yet this fall.

The Stevens Company, of Chicopee Falls, say trade hasn't been so brisk for five years, owing to the increasing rage for rifle-shooting. They are filling several good orders for guns for theatrical and variety performances, where great accuracy is required.

As encouraging signs of the revival of business in Taunton, the cotton factories in that city are all running with a full complement of hands and on full time. Deed & Barton's britannia works have over five hundred at work to fill their orders; Mason's machine works are filling up, having about five hundred on the pay roll, and still increasing their force; nearly all the stove manufactories and iron works, with few exceptions, are filled with orders as they have not been for two years before.

Wm. S. Burband of Plymouth has a prolific Concord grape vine which has this year born three hundred clusters in triplicate—that is, a cluster at each joint of cane in groups of three—making nine hundred thus produced.

Joe King of Taunton has just bought a cow, at Bangor, Me., that is warranted to give forty-one quarts of milk per day; if she fails to do this he is to pay for her.

The Plymouth Memorial has been shown an apple raised by Capt. Eben Nickerson which was equally divided into Russet and Tallman sweeting, either half preserving its proper complexion and smell. It grew on a sweet apple tree.

Summary of News.

Florida expects to provide 17,000,000 oranges this year.

\$30,000,000 are invested in the ice trade in this country.

Sixteen of the 66 strands of the East river bridge at New York, have been completed.

North Carolina has 81 gold mines in operation.

Ten thousand glass eyes are annually sold in the United States.

Pattie wants \$2,000 a night to sing in America.

The wheat crops this year promises to be the largest ever produced in the United States.

The majority of Chicago criminals are in their minority, or between the ages of 12 and 20.

The apple crop of Chautauqua county, N. Y., is the largest ever known. Estimated value of the crop, half a million.

Massachusetts has 1,019,343 acres of woodland.

There have been 256 more vessels arrive at Boston from foreign parts this year than last.

The railroads in Minnesota are unable to carry her crops to market fast enough.

Workmen employed in digging a well in Holbrook have reached a depth of forty-three feet, with no indication of water.

Adoniram Smith of Middleboro', has raised a cucumber which weighs twenty-four pounds.

J. M. Kinney of Wareham, is hatching chickens by artificial incubation.

Edward Hollis of Weymouth, has picked the feathers from 4300 chickens since March last.

The state hospital farm at Taunton raised a squash this year which weighed 123 pounds.

A Medford firm is making a pair of No. 42 shoes for a New York man. Their weight is to be 25 pounds. They are for a sign.

The New Haven Universalist Society has just built a church and parsonage at a cost of \$40,000, which are entirely free from debt.

A New York gentleman has offered to pay the entire cost of bringing Cleopatra's Needle to that city, and it will probably be done.

The Northampton bank robbers are to have a new trial on one of the indictments on which they were convicted, but there is fortunately no chance of their escaping the penitentiary.

Among the convicts in the Kentucky Penitentiary are five preachers, which proves nothing more than that it is easier to preach than to practice.

Hog cholera has caused a loss of over \$500,000 in Fayette County, Ind., this season.

GOOD ADVICE. The editor of the Brockton Gazette gives its readers the following piece of good advice:—"Never go where you are not wanted. If a man wants you to come to his place of business, he will invite you through an advertisement. It is wrong to intrude on any privacy."

PINS. A lady who has lived in Braintree about ten years, related to a friend the other day that a paper of pins, bought by her that day, was the first one she had bought since moving into town. Not because she was so well supplied with them when she came, but because she never loses any. She is the tenth wonder of the world. Her case is the most remarkable ever met with.

WHITMAN & BRECK,

Civil Engineers & Surveyors
CORNER OF
DEVONSHIRE & WATER STREETS,
BOSTON.
Entrance 85 Devonshire and 16 Water Streets.)

Particular attention paid to Land Surveying, laying out private grounds, and the general improvement of Real Estate. Plans and working drawings of public and private buildings carefully prepared.
H. T. WHITMAN, C. E. C. BRECK.
Dec. 14. April 15

J. E. STARBUCK, CIVIL ENGINEER AND SURVEYOR,

Corner of Hancock and Granite Streets,
QUINCY.
SURVEYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,
including the
Laying out of Public and Private Grounds,
The Furnishing of Estimates of all kinds of
Grading,
The Measurement of Mechanics' Work, &c.,
DONE PROMPTLY and at MOD-
ERATE CHARGES.
Quincy, June 17. 3m

House Plants in Winter.

To thrive well these require favorable conditions and much care. These conditions are mainly good sunlight, requisite warmth and moisture. Neither animal nor vegetable life amount to anything without direct sunlight upon them. Hence growing plants should receive not merely diffused sunlight, but as much direct sunlight as possible. The temperature must not be high; one where it is comfortable for a person to sit is good. Moisture, especially to the foliage, is very essential. Twice a week at least, thoroughly syringe or sprinkle them with the hand. Turn the pots often to give sunlight to all parts of the plants.

Various vermin are the great pests of most plants, green lice and red spiders being the chief. Washing the leaves often with moderate strong soap suds will destroy thousands; but the quickest and most efficient thing is to smoke them out. For large plants, throw some old sheets over them and burn some cheap, dry tobacco under it. When there are several small plants, put them into a barrel or box, burn the tobacco as before, putting over the vessel some tight cover. In half an hour thoroughly wash the smoked plants in luke-warm soft water.

Worms in flower pots are often a great pest, often killing the plants, and the fellows are hard to get at. We generally succeed in getting rid of the "virmints" in this way: Plug up the drainage holes in the pots. Make some lime water about strong enough to drink, fill the pots with it, and drain it off after two hours.

FRANCIS W. PARKER, Superintendent of Schools.

OFFICE HOURS.
Mondays and Saturdays,
From 8 to 12 A. M.
In Office of HON. JOHN Q. ADAMS.
Quincy, May 8. tf

DR. H. W. BOYD, DENTIST,

AT ROBERTSON HOUSE, QUINCY, MASS.
SATURDAYS.
ARTIFICIAL TEETH
Of the BEST quality and warranted to fit, for
\$15.00 PER SET.
Teeth Filled, Cleansed or Extracted in the
best manner.
Ether and Gas safely administered. tf
Quincy, Sept. 15.

J. W. SMALL, M. D., Physician and Surgeon,

Hancock St., near National Granite Bank,
QUINCY.
Chronic Diseases a Specialty.
Nov. 6. tf

L. F. BUTLER, M. D. HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

GRANITE STREET (Cor. Hancock St.)
QUINCY.
REFERENCES:—Prof. J. H. Woodbury, M.D.;
Prof. David Thayer, M.D.; Prof. I. T. Talbot, M.D.
OFFICE HOURS:—8-12 to 10 A. M.; 1-12 to
3 o'clock, P. M.
Quincy, March 31. 6m

JOS. UNDERWOOD, M. D., Homeopathic Physician,

RESIDENCE NEAR THE NEW ADAMS ACADEMY,
HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.
Aug. 25. tf

MARY K. GALE, M. D., HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,

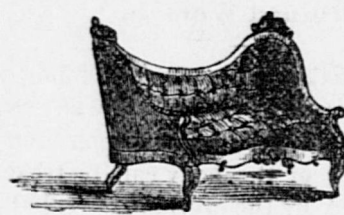
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OFFICE:—WOLLASTON HOTEL.
Office Hours—7 to 9 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M.
Quincy, March 3. 1y

J. A. GORDON, M. D.,

HANCOCK STREET,
OFFICE HOURS—From 2 to 3 and from 7 to
9 o'clock, P. M.
Quincy, May 24. tf

H. FRENCH, JR., House and Sign Painter,

IN EVERY VARIETY.
Washington Street, Quincy.
Feb. 10. tf
IRA LITCHFIELD,
Carpenter and Builder,
PEARL STREET,
SOUTH QUINCY.
Feb. 14. tf



Removal.



KEATING & SPEAR

Would announce that they have leased the Store recently occupied by J. H. VEAZIE, on HANCOCK STREET, together with the basement thereof, and now offer to the public their Stock of

New and Second-Hand Furniture, Bedding, Paper Hangings, Hardware, PAINTS, OILS, &c.

We shall make a specialty of the CENTENNIAL SAFETY OIL, 160 fire test. We have a large number of patrons who have used it upwards of a year, and all pronounce it the BEST ILLUMINATING OIL manufactured. It is as clear as water, gives a white light, and is perfectly safe.

In FURNITURE, we shall keep a good assortment of BEDSTEADS, BUREAUS, SINKS, TABLES, CHAIRS, LOUNGES, &c.

We intend to give a large share of attention to PREPARED PAINTS, of which, the last two or three years we have sold an immense quantity with entire satisfaction.

Being experienced in selling and handling HOUSE PAPERS and BORDERS, we feel confident we can offer such PAPERS as will suit any that may desire such goods.

Our KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS will comprise Wash Tabs, Boards, and Benches, Brooms, Brushes, Skirt Boards, Pastry Boards, Clothes Pins, Rolling Pins, &c., &c.

In our STOCK OF HARDWARE can be found Nails, Screws, Brads, Tacks, Locks, Knobs, Bolts, Hooks, Hinges, Tools, Cutlery and HOUSE TRIMMINGS generally.

Window Glass, Putty, Putty Knives, Paint Brushes, Machine Oil, Machine Needles, Curtains and Fixtures. Curtain and Picture Cord and Tassels constantly on hand.

Our success in business the last seven years, we attribute to the very liberal patronage bestowed on us by the people of Quincy and vicinity; and we shall endeavor by close cash buying and moderate profits to merit it in future.

N. B. We are still Agents for the sale of COAL and WOOD for Cyrus Patch, and all orders left at our New Store, will receive prompt attention.

KEATING & SPEAR, Hancock Street.

Quincy, Oct. 13, 1877.

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A. G. DURGIN & CO.,

ROBERTSON'S BLOCK,

A CARD.

Having made arrangements to work for A. G. DURGIN & CO., I take this method to announce to my friends that I may be found at the above place, and should be pleased to see all who may favor me with a call.

SAMUEL BASS.

QUINCY, MASS.

Retail Trade.

E. F. CUSHMAN

37 and 39 Temple Place,
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Ladies visiting Boston, will at all times find at this popular store, the best assorted stock of Merino Underwear, Gloves, Hosiery Velvets, Ribbons, Satins, Plushes, Silks, French Flowers, Feathers, Wings, Feather Bands, Plumes, all novelties in Laces, Hamburg Edgings, Dress Trimmings, Buttons, Fringes, Linen Handkerchiefs, Ladies' Shopping Bags, Umbrellas, Corsets, Pan-niors, and in fact anything that can or cannot be found elsewhere, can always be found at our store.

Every lady in New England should look our stock through.

All goods WARRANTED as represented.

E. F. CUSHMAN,

Successor to Cushman & Brooks.
Boston, Oct. 13. 4w

Good News! Good News!!

THE BEST RANGE

Ever Offered to the Public!!
Over One Hundred in use
In Quincy and Braintree,
And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.
Call and see them, at
CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.
Quincy, Jan. 29. tf

P. H. GAVIN, PLUMBER.

Formerly with WM. MILLS & Co., BOSTON.
Has commenced business at
96 Hancock Street, Quincy.
(Up one flight, in Adams's Block.)
Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Po Office, will receive prompt attention.
EVERY VARIETY of PLUMBING WORK done at lowest prices.
Quincy, Jan. 28. tf

GREAT STRIKE! ANTIQUE POTTERY

EXHUMED!!
By DR. SCHLIEMANN AND OTHERS.
CALL AND SEE.
E. CLAPP,
66 Hancock Street.
Quincy, Aug. 18. tf

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 3, 1877.

She Wanted Things to Fit.

Two ladies, mother and daughter, entered Packard's dry goods store, on Main street, the other day. Trade had been brisk, yet Mr. Packard was glad to see new customers.

"Me and Sarah is jest a looking, mister. It's not likely we'll buy much, no-how, so you needn't mind us till we see what we want."

This was what the mother said when the good-natured merchant wanted to show them his goods. When they had taken a good look, they proceeded to business.

"Me and Sarah wants stockings, mister. We don't want none of that cheap kind, like every girl in Brockton wears, but we want 'em sort of open-worked and genteel."

"We have a fine assortment of all makes and grades. Perhaps you would prefer the Portsmouth ribbed," he said.

"No! I prefer stockings, mister. So does Sarah. I have heard tell about them new-fashioned things—that a great many folks are wearing glove corsets and bustles and I don't know what; but me and Sarah don't know anything about such things. The old man is mighty stingy and mean with his money, and never gave us women a chance till now."

"These are the latest style in stripes; perhaps something of that kind will please you," said Mr. Packard, holding up a pair.

"No, they won't; no, sir. I've been a member of the church nigh upon forty years, and Sarah's likely to join some day, but we never wore anything like that in our family. I reckon them stockings were made for the poor unfortunates in the state prison."

The merchant was astonished at the singular suspicion of the old lady, and hastened to display his whole stock of hosiery. He also endeavored to convince them that "stripes" were all the fashion. The old lady was unwilling to believe this. He answered that not only did ladies of the highest standing wear them, but they also had a habit of holding up the dress skirts a little so as to display this fancy hosiery.

"You don't mean to say that they want everybody to see their striped stockings?" the old lady inquired eagerly.

"That's just what I mean to say, ma'am, and almost all of our first ladies wear them."

"Then, sis, get off your stockings, quick. I must see how them striped ones is a-goin' to look."

To the astonishment of the merchant, the young lady proceeded to take off the old and put on the new.

"Now just you parade up and down here, and hold up your skirts and let me see how it looks," said the old lady.

By this time, the merchant and all of his clerks were trying to swallow spoons of cotton to keep from laughing outright. The old lady noticed their depravity, and resented it.

"You needn't laugh, you fellows there. I've been fooled afore now, buying things that didn't fit. That's what me and sis is here for—to get 'em to fit."

The trial proved satisfactory. The daughter was made happy in the ownership of two pairs of the most fashionable.

"Now I want to see some of the very stripedest, mister."

"Why, ma, are you going to wear striped stockings? I don't believe they will look nice for you."

"Won't they? You're goin' to see whether they will or no as soon as he finds the very stripedest. And, young man, you've no call to stand there grinning in that way. I'm bound to get things to fit."

The young man disappeared in a moment to have his laugh out. The old lady gravely arrayed herself in the "very stripedest," and then she gathered her skirts up after the approved fashion, and marched up and down the store, questioning her daughter and the merchant as to the precise effect. It was all satisfactory till there came a prolonged shout from several of the lady clerks, who were peeping and could restrain themselves no longer.

"I wonder if them simpletons is laughing at us. Let 'em; who cares? Now, mister, you can put up two pairs of them for me. I've been a-tryin' and a-tryin' for years to git something to astonish my old man, so that mebbe he'd open his wallet. If this don't do it, I reckon I'll have to quit. Hold up your skirts, sis. Good-bye, mister."

A Ruined Woman.

The *Woman's Journal* has the following: "No man will ever prosper who has the curse of a ruined woman upon him. The murderer of the body can be tried and executed by the world's laws, but the murderer of the soul is tried by heaven's laws, and the execution is sure as divine justice." Aunt Betsey said this as she folded the white hands of a beautiful girl, and put white flowers and green leaves about the marble-cold forehead. There was a tiny babe beside the girl mother. The house was hushed, and there was mourning such as few know. Half glad that the mother and child were dead, the rest of the family must perform the last sad office of burial and bear the family shame. A haunted house! A ruined home! God the architect and man the spoiler. The curse is there, and the destroyer cannot escape.

Why he Wept.

He left her and stepped out to see a friend between acts.

"Why, Edward," said she when he returned, "there are tears in your eyes."

"Yes, pet," replied he solemnly. "I suppose there are—I saw such a sad sight when I was out."

"You did—what was it?" inquired she.

"Such a sad sight"—continued he, keeping his face away that she might not smell his breath—"I discovered a young man whom I have known for years drinking whiskey."

"You did?"

"Yes, standing right in plain sight before me, partaking deeply and carelessly of the dreadful intoxicating glass."

There was a little pause, when the young lady suddenly said:

"Edward, was he standing right in front of you?"

"Yes, pet," was the reply.

There was another pause, when the young lady asked again:

"Edward, don't most of the fashionable saloon counters have great nice mirrors right on the walls behind them?"

Edward flushed a little and looked quizzical as he replied that he "believed they did."

And there he permitted the subject to drop.—*Chicago Evening Journal.*

Hard to Decide.

Two Irishmen were one morning arguing stoutly whether it was the sun or the moon shining faintly through the London fog. "Och! Pat," said the other, "ye've lost yer reason intirely, for it is not the moon anyhow, but it maybe the reflection of some mighty fine things in the wonderful Exhibition." A canny Scotchman from Fenwick happened to pass just then, and thus Pat accosted him: "Shure, sir, we are strangers, and I make bowld to ax ye if yon is the moon or the blessed sun that we see struggling through the fog above us?" "Deed, sir, I'm no very sure," replied the Fenwick worthy: "for though I got a bit inkling lang-syne at the schule into the planets o' my ain kintra, yet I really canna say what it is—that is blinking above us, for I'm but a stranger here like yersel'."—*Land and Water.*

A Canadian Farm.

About five miles from Brockville, Ontario, is a farm that has just been sold for \$15,000. It comprises 500 acres, 250 of which are in a state of cultivation, and this season there were raised on it 125 tons of hay, 1,800 bushels of oats, 900 bushels of barley, 100 bushels of spring wheat, 900 bushels potatoes, 1,800 bushels of turnips and 100 bushels of peas. Fifty-four cows are kept on the place, the milk being sent to the factory, and during the best part of the season aggregating 650 pounds at each milking. Four hired men with seven horses do the work, and they are now engaged in putting into shape fifty acres of additional ground, which will this fall be sown to rye.

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Her Age.

A well dressed negro applied to the judge of probate of Mobile, Ala., for a marriage license. He was asked how old his intended was, and answered with great animation, "Just sixteen, Judge—sweet sixteen, and the handsomest girl in town. The Judge said he could not do it, as the law forbade him to issue a license to any one under 18. "Well hold on, Judge," exclaimed the man, "I know that dem girls are deceitful and lie about their age. She is 19 if a day." "Will you swear to it?" asked the Judge. "Yes, sah," he replied and did. "And how old are you?" said the Judge. The chap looked suspicious and replied cautiously, "Thirty-five," and added, "If dat won't do, Judge, I've got more back."

An old doctor being asked what was good for mosquitoes, wrote back, "How do you suppose I can tell unless I know what ails the mosquito?"

FIRST PRIZE

— AT —
Lombard's Clothing House,
In Robertson's Block.

PANTS,
50 Cents; 75 cents; \$1.00; \$1.25; \$1.50; \$1.75;
\$2.00; \$2.25; \$2.50; \$2.75; \$3.00; \$3.25;
\$3.50; \$3.75; \$4.00; \$4.25; \$4.50; \$4.75;
\$5.00; \$6.00; \$7.00.

VESTS.
\$1.00; \$1.25; \$1.50; \$1.75; \$2.00; \$2.50; \$3.00.

COATS.
Prices varying from \$3 to \$10.

GOOD
ALL-WOOL SUITS,
Prices varying from \$7.00 to \$10.00, and \$12.00,
\$14.00, \$16.00.

BOYS' CLOTHING,
— IN GOOD VARIETIES.

Suits of All-Wool Clothing
FOR BOYS, AGE 3 TO 14,
Prices varying from \$2 to \$8.

Please read and take warning.

CALL AT THE
Clothing Store,
In Robertson's Block,

If you want GOOD GOODS at the LOWEST
CASH PRICES.

If you do come you shall not be disappointed.

Undershirt Department.
Our Stock of Underwear never before was so
large, and of so good a variety.

Prices from 42 cts. to \$1.50.

OVERCOATS,
ALL GRADES,
PRICES FROM \$5.00 to \$20.00.—Made good,
and lined well.

BOYS' OVERCOATS,
ALL GRADES.

Please read the different
Departments and see if you
can do any better in Boston
or Quincy.

PAPER COLLARS,
PER BOX, from 12 cts. to 25 cts.

SUSPENDERS,
12 cents to \$1.00 a pair.

HATS AND CAPS,
— IN GOOD VARIETY.

Prices from 25 cts. to \$2.50.

Don't go Bareheaded!

You may think this is all talk, but the
"Proof of the pudding is in eating;"—and now
I invite you all to come and see for yourselves.
If you do not buy, there will be no growling.
With courtesy to customers, and obliging and
attentive clerks, we hope to meet with success, at

LOMBARD'S
CLOTHING HOUSE,
Robertson's Block,
HANCOCK STREET,
Quincy, Sept. 29, 1877. tf

OPENED THIS DAY, A FULL LINE OF FALL AND WINTER GOODS,

AT PRICES THAT
Defy Competition!!

Extra Inducements
To Cash Buyers!!

— AT —
FRANK A. SPEAR'S,
86 Hancock Street.
Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

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a continuance of the same. tf
Quincy, Sept. 29.

Scarlet Fever, Small Pox,
Diphtheria, Measles, &c.

Office of the Board of Health.

QUINCY, FEB. 1, 1877.

THE Board of Health issues the following
notice:—That on and after MONDAY, February
5th, 1877, the following provisions of
Chapter 26 of the General Statutes will be
strictly enforced:

Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a
person within his family is taken sick of . . .
any . . . disease dangerous to the public
health, he shall immediately give notice thereof
to the . . . board of health of the town in
which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to
give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not
exceeding \$100.

Sec. 48. When a physician knows that any
person whom he is called to visit is infected
with . . . any disease dangerous to the
public health, he shall immediately give notice
thereof to the . . . board of health of the
town; and if he refuses or neglects to give such
notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum
not less than \$50, nor more than \$100.

The Board considers the above sections to
apply to scarlet fever, small-pox, diphtheria,
measles, and whooping cough.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Board
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Health.
Quincy, March 10. tf

NOTICE.

THE Assessors of the Town of Quincy give
notice that they have delivered to GEORGE
H. LOCKE, Collector of Taxes, a correct List
of the Taxes, together with a warrant, in due
form of law, for collecting the same, and that
by a vote of the town, all persons who shall pay
their taxes on or before the 15th day of SEP-
TEMBER, 1877, a discount of four per cent.
will be made. By a vote of the town all taxes
are due and payable on the first day of Novem-
ber, and the Collector is required to pay interest,
on all taxes not paid before December 1st,
1877.

WM. A. HODGES, } Assessors
E. S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, Aug. 4. tf

\$500 REWARD.

A REWARD of \$500 will be paid to any
person who will give information sufficient
to convict the person who set fire to the
Alms-house barn on Saturday night, March 11th.

—ALSO—

A like amount will be paid to any one who
will give information sufficient to convict any
person or persons who have set fire to any build-
ing of the value of one hundred dollars, in the
town of Quincy, since March 11th, 1876, or who
may set fire to any building of not less value,
between this time and March 1st, 1878.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10, 1876. tf

Selectmen's Meetings.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office, in
the Town House, every SATURDAY, from
11-2 to 4-12 o'clock, P. M., until further notice.
Persons having business with the Town will
please present it on those days.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10. tf

\$15.00 Reward!

WHEREAS, a large number of the Street
Lamps have been wantonly and mali-
ciously broken in this town, the undersigned
offer the above reward to any person who will
furnish evidence sufficient to convict the person
guilty of said offence.

Also—For breaking Glass in windows of
buildings belonging to the town.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10, 1876. tf

State Aid.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office in
the Town House, on the last MONDAY in
each month, from 9 to 11 o'clock, A. M., for the
purpose of paying State Aid to those Volun-
teers or their families, who are entitled to it under
the provisions of the law of 1867.

WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10. tf

LUMBER.

The undersigned having leased
CANAL WHARF,

(Opposite the Polishing Works.)

ARE receiving and shall continue to receive
a Full Assortment of LUMBER and

Building Materials,

Consisting in part of

SPRUCE FRAMES,
DIMENSION

Pine, Spruce,

and Hemlock

Covering Boards.

Sheathing, Shelving and Base.

Pine, Spruce,

and Hard Pine

FLOORING.

Matched Roofing Boards,

Clapboards,

Shingles,

Laths,

Pickets.

Lime, Cement, Plaster,

HAIR, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Gutters, Conductors,

and Mouldings.

All of which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

On Wharf, or delivered promptly to order.

LAKIN & CO.

Quincy, June 3, 1876.

CARD.

THE undersigned, formerly of W. F. LA-
KIN & CO., now of LAKIN & CO., would
respectfully announce to the citizens of Quincy
and vicinity, that he may be found as above,
where he will be happy to see all of his old
friends and the public generally.

Very thankful for your previous patronage,
would respectfully ask a continuance of the
same. Respectfully yours, W. F. LAKIN
Quincy, June 3. tf

NEW GOODS.

GEORGE SAVILLE

90 Hancock Street,

Is daily adding to his Stock a FULL LINE of

Goods in his different departments,

CONSISTING OF

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers,

HATS AND CAPS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

JEWELRY,

Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags

And Umbrellas.

All of which he is selling at prices to corre-
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CALL AND EXAMINE—

GEO. SAVILLE.

Quincy, Sept. 16. tf

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HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
Wollaston Heights.

OFFICE.—WOLLASTON HOTEL,
Office Hours—7 to 9 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M.
Quincy, March 3.

L. F. BUTLER, M. D.,
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
GRANITE STREET (COR. HANCOCK ST.)
QUINCY.

OFFICES.—Prof. J. H. Woodbury, M.D.;
Prof. David Thayer, M.D.; Prof. I. T. Tal-
bot, M.D.
Office Hours—8 to 12 to 10 A. M.; 1 to 2 to
Quincy, March 31.

JOS. UNDERWOOD, M. D.,
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DISPENSARY NEAR THE NEW ADAMS ACADEMY,
HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.

J. A. GORDON, M. D.,
HANCOCK STREET,
Office Hours—From 2 to 3 and from 7 to
Quincy, May 24.

FRANCIS W. PARKER,
Superintendent of Schools,
OFFICE HOURS,
Mondays and Saturdays,
From 8 to 12 A. M.
In Office of Hon. JOHN Q. ADAMS,
Quincy, May 8.

RA LITCHFIELD,
Carpenter and Builder,
PEARL STREET,
SOUTH QUINCY.

WHITMAN & BRECK,
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Has commenced business at
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70 PIECES, \$3.75.
LONDON DINNER SET,
OVER 100 PIECES \$10.00.
EXCELSIOR TEA SET,
56 PIECES, \$3.25.
Gem Tea Set of 38 Pieces, \$2.50.
And now for the first time offered in this country the
Royal Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Set,
Over 200 Pieces, \$19.50,
Including large Turken, Covered Dishes, Plates, Platters, and Vegetable
Dishes in all desirable sizes, and Handled Teas and Coffees.
ALL the above are of our own importation in ENGLISH STONE
CHINA, and in the newest and most desirable shapes, from one of the best
Potteries of England, from which we have sold goods for nearly twenty
years, giving universal satisfaction.
In connection with the above, we have an unusual assortment of

Parisian Granite, Common Crockery,
FANCY GOODS,
STONE CHINA, YELLOW WARE, GLASS WARE,
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TABLE CUTLERY,
LAMPS,
In New and Elegant Patterns of Bronze, Nickel and Glass.

SILVER PLATED WARE,
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TEA SET, \$20, and upwards; ICE PITCHERS, \$9.00 and upwards;
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Rogers & Brother's Knives, Forks and Spoons,
together with an endless variety of HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, both
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VERY LOWEST PRICES,
At Wholesale or Retail.
Remember we are never undersold, and will not be. Send for List.
GUY & BROTHERS,
33 BEDFORD STREET, 33,
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Only a few doors from Washington Street, opposite West, and con-
venient to all the Dry Goods stores.
Boston, Oct. 27.

Quincy Bakery.
THE subscriber would inform the citizens of
Quincy and adjoining towns that he will
continue to manufacture at his establishment
Bread, Cake, and Pastry,
and all other articles usually found in any
Bakery. Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of
Plain and Fancy Crackers.
GINGER SNAPS, &c.
Hot Rolls every Evening.
WEDDING CAKE furnished to order at Boston
prices. CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR for sale at low-
est cash prices.
Quincy, Jan. 21. WM. A. HODGES. tf

FREDERICK & FIELD,
GRANITE DEALERS
AND CONTRACTORS FOR
Granite Fronts, Monuments,
—AND—
CEMENTERY WORK.
All kinds of Granite furnished.
Quincy, Aug. 4. tf

REMOVAL!!
MISS M. J. BELLEW,
Would announce to her friends and patrons
that she has taken a Room in
ROBERTSON'S HOTEL,
HANCOCK STREET,
Where she is prepared to attend to
Hair Dressing & Shampooing,
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Also, MILLINERY WORK done to order.
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From \$6 to \$25 each.
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From \$1.75 to 5.

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BOYS' SUITS,
AGE 3 TO 10 YEARS.
\$2.50 to \$7.
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\$4.00 to \$10.
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Men's Custom Department.
Pants from Measure, \$5.
Overcoats from Measure, \$20.
Business Suits from Measure, \$20.
FALL OVERCOATS FROM MEASURE, \$15.
Every garment we sell is of our own
manufacture, and fully warranted.
Goods marked in plain figures, and no deviation
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Quincy, March 20.

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**Florist and Landscape
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P. O. Box 128 East Milton, Mass.
All orders promptly attended to.
Boquets, Wreaths and Floral Designs
MADE TO ORDER.
Also—Stove Greenhouse and Hardy Plants,
in large variety.
Mosses, Ferns, and Ornamental Foliage,
Plants suitable for Ferneries and Hanging
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RALPH LOWE
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All orders left will receive prompt attention.
Collar and Harness Making,
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Poetry.
For the Patriot.
Clouds.
Placid clouds, I envy ye!
Sailing that way,
Sailing this way,
Slowly creeping,
Softly sleeping,
Shyly weeping,
Tears of bliss
Not a care to worry ye.
Angry clouds, ye frighten me!
Whirling that way,
Whirling this way,
Wildly dashing,
Loudly crashing,
Blindly flashing,
Lightning hiss,
Who so sore offended ye?
Crimson clouds of prophecy!
Golden that way,
Golden this way,
Weather mending,
Colors blending,
Kindly sending
Earth a kiss.
What a day to-morrow'll be!
ESSIE PROOSTER.

Receipts, Wit, &c.
ROUGH AND READY CAKE. One cof-
fee cup of shortening; one coffee cup
of molasses; one coffee cup of milk or
water; one teaspoonful of soda; one
teaspoonful of ginger, flour enough to
roll out.
SURPRISE CAKE. Sugar, one cup;
sweet milk, one cup; butter, one-half
cup; soda, one teaspoonful; cream of
tartar, two teaspoonfuls; or, one cup of
sour milk and soda, omitting the cream
tartar; salt; flour to make pretty thick.
Flavor with essence of lemon.
"I want five cents worth of
starch," said a little girl to a grocer's
clerk. The clerk, wishing to tease the
child, asked, "What do you want five
cents worth of starch for?" "Why,
for five cents, of course," she answered,
and the clerk concluded to attend to his
own business.
A party were enjoying the even-
ing breeze on board a yacht. "The
wind has made my moustache taste quite
salt," remarked a young man who had
been for some time occupied in biting
the hair that fell over his upper lip. "I
know it," innocently said a pretty girl.
And she wondered why all her friends
laughed. "People are so childish," she
remarked.
A little girl of five or six summers
stopping with her parents at one of the
fashionable hotels at Saratoga Springs,
was invited at dinner to take some wine
as it was passed around. She declined.
"Why do you not take wine with your
dinner, Minnie?" "Tause I doesn't like
it," "But take a little, then, my
child, for your stomach's sake," he
urged. "I ain't got no tommik's ache,"
indignantly replied the little miss in the
most emphatic manner.
Glass was early discovered. Glass
breads have been found on mummies
over three thousand years old.
The stovepipe can never be a
pipe of peace.
Greenland has no cats. Imagine
cats in a country where the nights are
six months long.
A crabbed old bachelor says wo-
men are the greatest thieves in exist-
ence because they steal their petticoats,
bone their staves, crib their babies and
hook their dresses.
Two Ashburnham men have just
become reconciled, after a disagreement
which has prevented their speaking to
each other for thirty years.
Wouldst thou die nobly, let thy
vices die before thee.
God loves that his people should
put his bonds (his promises) in suit; and
he who does so shall find God near him,
though friends should leave him and
the world be in arms against him.
The awful profundity of a woman's
genius is never known to man,
until he is presented on a fine cold morn-
ing with a pair of overshoes which his
wife has made from the remainder of an
old basque.
Eggs sell in Maine for \$150 a
dozen. In order to give them this value
the shells are first perforated with two
holes, the original contents blown out
and the vacant space filled with whisky.
All on account of the Maine law. An
other dodge is the patent faucet, which
turned one way yields vinegar, and the
other way ale.
The best time on record in the
matrimonial race can be conceded to
Anthony Keough and a Miss Rivers of
Cohoes, N. Y. At 3 in the afternoon
they met, became acquainted, and be-
fore nine in the evening were married.
The bride is 16 and the bridegroom 19
years of age.
Spring openings—Rat-traps. Fall
openings—Chestnut-burs.
Best thing to sell on the "in-
stall meant plan."—A hotel stable.
We don't know what she meant,
but as they were walking to church Sun-
day night, at about the rate of three steps
per minute, we heard her say, "Oh,
John, your nose is cold, don't it!"
When engine-ears compromise eyes, any-
body nose the people are a-head.

Miscellany.
TOO LATE FOR THE TRAIN.
When they reached the depot, Mr.
Man and his wife gazed with unex-
pected disappointment at the receding train,
which was just pulling away from the
bridge switch at the rate of a thousand
miles a minute. Their first impulse was
to run after it, but as the train was out
of sight and whistling for Sateown be-
fore they could act upon the impulse,
they remained in the carriage and dis-
consolately turned the horses home-
ward.
"It all comes of having to wait for a
woman to get ready," Mr. Man broke
the silence with, very grimly.
"I was ready before you were," re-
plied his wife.
"Great Heavens," cried Mr. Man in
irrepressible impatience, jerking the
horses' jaws out of place, "just listen to
that! And I sat in the buggy ten min-
utes, yelling at you to come along until
the whole neighborhood heard me!"
"Yes," acquiesced Mrs. Man, with
the provoking placidity which no one
can assume but a woman, "and every
time I started down stairs you sent me
back for something you had forgotten."
Mr. Man groaned. "This is too much
to bear, when everybody knows that if
I was going to Europe, I would just
rush into the house, put on a clean shirt
grab up my grip-sack, and fly, while you
would want at least six months for pre-
liminary preparations, and then dawdle
around the whole day of starting until
every train had left town."
Well, the upshot of the matter was,
that the Mans put off their visit to
Aurora until the next week, and it was
agreed that each one should get him or
herself ready and go down to the train
and go, and the one who failed to get
ready should be left. The day of the
match came round in due time. The
train was to go at 10:30 and Mr. Man,
after attending to his business, went
home at 9:45.
"Now, then," he shouted, "only
three quarters of an hour to train time.
Fly around; a fair field and no favors
you know!"
And away they flew. Mr. Man bulged
into this room and rushed through that
and one divided into one closet after an-
other with inconceivable rapidity, chuck-
ling under his breath all the time, to
think how cheap Mrs. Man would feel
when he started off alone. He stopped
on his way up stairs to pull off his heavy
boots to save time. For the same reason
he pulled off his coat as he ran
through the dining-room and hung it on
a corner of the silver closet. Then he
pulled off his vest as he rushed through
the hall and tossed it on a hook in the
hall, and by the time he reached like
his own room he was ready to plunge
into his clean clothes. He failed to get
a bureau drawer and began to paw at
the things like a Scotch-terrier after a rat.
"Eleanor!" he shrieked, "where are
my shirts?"
"In your bureau drawer," calmly re-
plied Mrs. Man, who was standing placidly
before a glass, calmly and deliber-
ately coaxing a refractory crimp into
place.
"Well, by thunder, they ain't!"
shouted Mr. Man, a little annoyed. "I've
emptied everything out of the drawer
and there isn't a thing in it I ever saw
before."
Mrs. Man stepped back a few paces,
held her head on one side and after sat-
isfying herself that the crimp would do,
and would stay where she had put it,
replied:
"These things scattered around on
the floor are all mine. Probably you
haven't been looking in your own draw-
er."
"I don't see," testily observed Mr.
Man, "why you couldn't have put my
things out for me when you had nothing
else to do all the morning."
"Because," said Mrs. Man, settling
herself into an additional article of
rattling with awful deliberation, "no-
body puts mine out for me. A fair field
and no favors, my dear."
Mr. Man plunged into his shirt like a
bull at a red flag.
"Foul!" he shouted, in malicious
triumph. "No button on the neck!"
"Because," said Mrs. Man, sweetly,
after a deliberate stare at the fidgeting,
impatient man, during which she but-
toned her dress and put eleven pins
where they would do the most good,
"because you have got the shirt on
wrong side out."
When Mr. Man slid out of the shirt he
began to sweat. He dropped the shirt
three times before he got it on, and while
it was over his head he heard the clock
strike ten. When his head came through
he saw Mrs. Man coaxing the ends and
bows of her necktie.
"Where's my shirt-studs?" he cried.
Mrs. Man went out into another room
and presently came back with the gloves
and hat, and saw Mr. Man emptying
all the boxes he could find in and about the
bureau. Then she said:
"In the shirt you just took off."
Mrs. Man put on her gloves while Mr.
Man hunted up and down the room for
his cuff-buttons.
"Eleanor," he snarled at last, "I be-
lieve you must know where those but-
tons are."
"I haven't seen them," said the lady
settling her hat; "didn't you lay them
down on the window-sill in the sitting
room last night?"

Mr. Man remembered, and he went
down stairs on the run. He stepped on
one of his boots, and was immediately
landed in the hall at the foot of the
stairs with neatness and dispatch.
"Are you nearly ready, Almgerton?"
asked the wife of the family, sweetly,
leaning over the banisters.
The unhappy man groaned. "Can't
you throw me down that other boot?"
he asked.
Mrs. Man pittingly kicked it down to
him.
"My valise?" he inquired, as he tug-
ged away at the boot.
"Up in your dressing-room," she
answered.
"Packed?"
"I do not know; unless you packed it
yourself, probably not," she replied,
with her hand on the door-knob; "I
had hardly time to pack my own."
She was passing out of the gate, when
the door opened and he shouted:
"Where in the name of goodness did
you put my vest? It has all the money
in it!"
"You threw it on the hat-rack," she
called back; "good-bye, dear."
Before she got to the corner of the
street she was hailed again.
"Eleanor! Eleanor! Eleanor! Man!
Did you wear off my coat?"
She paused and turned, after signaling
the street car to stop, and cried:
"You threw it on the silver-closet."
And the street car engulfed her grace-
ful figure and she was seen no more.
But the neighbors say that they heard
Mr. Man charging up and down the
house, rushing out the front door every
now and then and shrieking up the de-
serted streets after the unconscious Mrs.
Man, to know where his hat was, and
where she put the valise key, and if he
had any clean socks and undershirts, and
that there wasn't a linen collar in the
house. And when he went away at last,
he left the kitchen door, side door and
front door, all the downstairs windows and
the front gate wide open. And the
loungers around the depot yesterday
were somewhat amused, just as the train
was pulling out of sight down in the
yard, to see a flushed, perspiring man,
with his hat on sideways, his vest but-
toned two buttons too high, his cuffs un-
buttoned and neck-tie flying, and his
grip sack flapping open and shut like a
demented shutter on a March night, and
a door key in his hand, and a wildly
across the platform and half in the mid-
dle of the track, glaring in dejected, im-
potent, wrathful mortification, at the de-
parting train, and shaking his trembling
fist at a pretty woman who was throwing
kisses at him from the rear platform of
the last car.—Burlington Hawkeye.

Puss and the Clam.
A clam of the large hard-shell species,
taken at the beach, with a grip like a
vice, had been left lying loose, and had
opened its mouth wide for a breath of
fresh air and gone to sleep with it open,
when a grimalkin chanced to pass that
way, and inhaling the scent of the de-
licious morsel, forthwith commenced a
search, which revealed the whereabouts
of the bivalve. Puss was bound to
possess the clam. Cautiously, yet earnestly,
she went to work. First she
walked round and round it, eyeing it on
every side. Then she poked it with her
paw, turning it round and round. The
clam by this time had got its eyes open.
Its curiosity was aroused to see what the
would do. Next puss tried to insert
its nose between the shells. The clam
knew she couldn't do it, and he lay there
and laughed in his sleeve. Next puss
inserted one of her paws between the
shells and rapidly withdrew it, watching
its effect on the objective point. Not a
muscle, however, did his clam-ship move,
not so much as an eye-wink. Embold-
ened by this, puss put her paw full upon
the coveted carcass of the bivalve. The
latter winked with one eye as much as
to say, "Now, old lady, I've got you!"
and, bringing those two jaws of his to-
gether with a snap, held the cat's paw
with a grip that filled her with astonish-
ment. First came a spit, then a pro-
longed yell, then spit and yell alternat-
ely, and a series of gyrations that would
have done honor to a circus performer.
She snaked that clam all over the yard,
up against a door post, between two fence
pickets, and over a stone wall. But the
clam meant business and wouldn't let
go. Finally, the cries and antics of the
poor creature brought two men to the
scene, and by their united efforts the
grip of the clam was loosened and puss
released.—Providence Press.

Father and Son.
Willie Lange, a boy, was a witness in
the General Session in New York yester-
day. His father, George Lange, who
keeps a bar-room in Great Jones street,
was next put on the stand, and asked:
"Is your son truthful?"
"No, he isn't," was the reply.
"Is his reputation good or bad?"
"Very bad."
"Would you believe him under oath?"
"I would not."
"And has had your example constant-
ly before him?"
"Yes."
Neither father or son was personally
interested in the case on trial.—New
York Sun.

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The Vanilla Bean.
The vanilla bean, from which the well-
known essence is made, is the fruit of a
plant which is a parasite, growing upon
the trunks of old trees. It is found in
Mexico and a few other countries. The
bean is gathered before it is ripe, and
dried either in the open air or in an
oven, and this changes its color from
green to a deep purplish-brown. The
beans, while still warm, are packed into
blankets and put into large tin cans to
undergo a sweating process, after which
they are dried again. This sweating is
sometimes repeated, and finally the beans
are assorted into fifteen different sizes,
packed in tin cans holding about three
thousand each, and sealed. Their value
has greatly increased. Formerly they
were worth about sixty dollars a thou-
sand; within a few years the price has
risen to one hundred and fifty, and it is
still increasing, as the demand is greater
than the supply. This high price may
be likely to stimulate the chemists to
supply an artificial flavor as a substitute.

Don't Scold.
For the sake of your children, don't
do it. It is a great misfortune to have
children reared in the presence and un-
der the influence of a scold. The effect
of the everlasting complaining and fault-
finding of such persons is to make the
young who hear it unamiable, malicious,
callous-hearted, and they often learn to
take pleasure in doing the very things
for which they receive such tongue-
lashings. As they are always getting the
blame of wrong-doing, whether they
do it or not, they think they might as
well do wrong as right. They lose all
ambition to strive for the favorable opin-
ion of the fault-finder, since they see
they always strive in vain. Thus a scold
is not only a nuisance, but a destroyer
of the morals of children. If these un-
loved, dreaded people could only see
themselves as others see them, they
would flee to the mountains in very
shame.

Lake Tahoe.
Truckee is a thriving railroad town,
and the starting point of Lake Tahoe,
called the "Gem of the Sierras." The
road from Truckee winds along the
Truckee river up a canon bearing the
same name. It is fourteen miles long,
and a succession of fine views the whole
length of the road. The snow-clad
Sierras are on our right, and beautifully
timbered hills on each side of the river.
A few miles up the canon a successful
fish farm is in operation, where tens of
thousands of trout can be seen in every
stage of a trout's existence. As we
reach the head of the canon we find we
are also at the outlet, or head of the
Truckee river, whose waters, like all the
other rivers of Nevada, are lost in sinks.
None of them have an outlet into the
ocean.

The view as we emerge from the canon
is beautiful. The broad expanse of the
majestic lake lies before us, encircled on
all sides by towering mountains. Half
of the lake is in Nevada, the other half in
California. It is twenty-eight miles long
and from twelve to sixteen wide, and
has been sounded to a depth of sixteen
hundred feet. Its waters are a beautiful
ultra-marine, and it may be called the
purest water in the world, containing by
analysis only four per cent. of impurities.
It is so light and mobile as to be easily
lashed into foam, or calmed in a mirror-
like surface. In the early morning it is
like a looking-glass, with the surround-
ing objects reflected in it with surprising
accuracy. Several steamers of small
tonnage are used in navigating it. Its
altitude is about sixty-three hundred feet;
it is always cool and pleasant in the hot-
test weather. The lake never freezes
and never gives up its dead. No person
that has been drowned has been known
to rise to the surface. Wood, as soon as
it is saturated, sinks to the bottom. The
water is as clear as crystal, and huge
rocks fifty feet down are plainly discern-
ible. In fact, it is a marvel, and the very
contrast of our own Salt Lake; for this
is so dense and sluggish as to offer great
resistance to the human body, and every-
thing else that will float.—Salt Lake
Herald.

Good Reading.
Let the girls and boys read good books
or none at all. Do you think the girl
who passes her time in reading silly,
love-sick stories or trashy novels will
ever grow into anything but a silly,
weak-minded, sentimental woman, with
a brain as devoid of one solid thought as
her life is of noble purpose? And the
boy who, hour after hour, is found per-
using a dime novel, a book of exciting
highway robberies, or a sensational news-
paper, do you think he will ever develop
into a pure-souled, high-toned, noble-
minded man, a man destined to make his
mark in the world? No; for just as im-
pure food will dwarf and injure your
whole physical system, just so impure
reading will taint and corrupt your whole
mental organization. Think of this,
boys and girls, and be careful what you
select to read, for, be it said with shame,
hundreds of books and newspapers of the
very lowest, vilest kind may be found
all over our country.

The young man who flew into a
passion has had his wings clipped.

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, NOV. 10, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

Quincy Reform Club.

A bright and lively meeting of this Club was held on Saturday evening last, the occasion being the regular monthly business meeting, to which was added a social hour for games before, and a social set-down to clam chowder and coffee after.

Could any one holding the opinion that this Club is dead and waning out of existence, have seen on this evening the crowded around the table where the game of "Squalls" was being played, heard the rounds of laughter and shouts of triumph from the contestants in the game, and lookers-on; then attended the meeting, witnessed its harmony and spirit of good feeling, as evidenced by every word that was said, backed up by the voluntary acts of members agreeing, outside of the regular dues, to make such provision as to insure the opening of these rooms every evening during the next six weeks, (it will not stop there,) and capped it all by taking a seat with the company of seventy-five who gathered around the tables, we think that by the time the last clam was eaten and the bottom of the coffee mug reached, the satisfaction of a fullness in the direction of faith as to this winter's work of the Club would have been reached.

Saturday evening this week the Black and White Squalls will contend again for mastery, the game of "Go-Bang" will be brought out; also Mr. Graham, by request, will exhibit the pair of last 23 inches long, size number 46, on which he is making a pair of shoes for the 650 pound giant of Home, N. Y.

Re-union every Saturday night. Let every member rally!

LECTURE COURSE. The opening entertainment of the Quincy course will be given on Tuesday evening next in the Town Hall. The following is the programme of the Concert and our readers may be assured that it will be a capital one:

1. VIOLIN SOLO.—SIXTH AIR VARIÉ. Miss Lillian Chandler.
2. SONG.—"Oh Loving Heart, Trust On." Miss Ella F. Johnson.
3. SOLO ON THE HARMONICA.—"MARCH." Prof. Wallach.
4. HUMOROUS SELECTION.—"Farmer Magee." Mr. Sydney Burt.
5. VIOLIN SOLO. Miss Chandler.
6. SONG.—"I HAVE WAITED FOR TRY COMING." Miss Ella F. Johnson.
7. HUMOROUS RECIATION.—"NEHEMIAH NEVER WELL." Mr. Sydney Burt.
8. HARMONICA SOLO. Prof. Wallach.
9. DUET.—"THE MUSIC LESSON." Miss Johnson and Mr. Burt.
10. SLUMBER SONG, WITH VIOLIN ORGANO. The Misses Chandler.

It will be such a most enjoyable concert may be expected. With such talent as James T. Fields, Collector Simons, the Cobb Concert Company, Readings, etc., this course will be one of the best ever given in Quincy. Course tickets with good seats may be obtained at John O. Holden's store.

PERSONAL. Our friends in Wollaston may be congratulated that a physician of the experience of Dr. Winthrop Sargent has been induced to settle among them. This gentleman is a member of the Sargent family in Massachusetts of which Mr. Ignatius Sargent and Mr. Epes Sargent are well-known representatives. He has had a successful practice of twenty-two years in Philadelphia, and leaves that city only because the oppressive heat of the summer is prejudicial to the health of his family. During the war Dr. Sargent was at the head of one of the Government Hospitals, and has had extensive experience as a surgeon. The settlers upon the Heights may now feel that their facilities for prompt medical and surgical attendance are not behind their other advantages.

ACCIDENT. Last week, Mrs. Moses Nightingale had an ill turn while in the store of Mr. Owen Jones and fell, striking on her side. She fractured one of her ribs and was quite badly hurt. We are pleased to learn that she is gradually improving, and in a few days we hope to hear that she has recovered her usual health.

OBITUARY. We are pained to record the death of Mr. Levi B. Josephs, one of our oldest and most respected citizens who passed away on Monday of this week, at the advanced age of 82 years and 3 months.

Mr. Josephs had apparently been as well as usual until Thursday night, Nov. 1st, when he was suddenly stricken with paralysis which soon deprived him of the power of speech, and a little later of all consciousness. Mr. Josephs was one of the charter members of the Universalist Society of this place, and its first Clerk. He was ever an ardent, generous and unwavering advocate of the doctrines of Universalism, and adorned them with a well-ordered life and conversation. The funeral services were held at the residence of his son, Freeman Josephs, and were largely attended. Rev. Mr. Whitney officiating. He paid high tribute to the deceased, and spoke with feeling upon the blessed hopes of the Gospel.

HIGH SCHOOL ASSOCIATION. At the annual meeting of the Quincy High School Association, held on Wednesday evening at the Lyceum Rooms, the following officers were elected:—President, Joseph C. Morse; Vice-President, James B. Wild; Treasurer, Thomas F. Morse; Recording Secretary, Lizzie E. Morse; Corresponding Secretary, Jesse F. Curtis; Directors, Mrs. Frank F. Crane, Mrs. H. C. Rodgers, Mrs. Henry F. Morse, Miss Alice Taylor, Addie Baxter and S. Addie Wild; Messrs. Frank F. Crane and D. Fred French.

Mr. Shea of West Quincy, while driving on Adams street, about eight o'clock last Thursday evening, was run into by a passing team, and had his buggy badly damaged. It was quite dark at the time.

Local Items.

The prospect for the completion of Neponset bridge looks quite favorable, and it will probably be open to the public about Thanksgiving.

Mr. Munroe of Newbury, Mass., has been engaged by the Selectmen for Superintendent of the Almshouse and has entered on his duties.

The estate on Quincy Avenue, formerly owned by Charles Gill, but more recently by H. Walter Gray, has been sold to Mrs. Michael Collins, for about \$2000.

G. F. Wilson has some excellent tea which he invites our citizens to test. Call at his market house and give him an order for his excellent groceries.

The Granite Temple of Honor had a public installation of their officers last Monday evening.

H. T. Reed & Co. have a choice selection of groceries which they are selling cheap.

We are pleased to learn that our fellow townsman, Lemuel Baxter Esq., has been appointed a Director of the Universalist Publishing House, Boston. An excellent appointment.

Underwear and hosiery can be bought at Defrees & Milliken's, at Boston prices. They also have standard machine needles, assorted sizes, in needle boxes. This is a new way of putting up machine needles, and it will be found to be very convenient.

Nine persons were received into fellowship by the Universalist Church last Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Pratt, a lady who is in her 91st year has cut and made patch work for six bed quilts during the past three years. Last Sunday was Communion day at the Episcopal Church where she is a member, and this venerable lady was present and partook of the sacrament.

A petition is in circulation to have a bridge, connecting Germantown with the Point.

It is expected that the large ship, building by Deacon Thomas at his yard, will be launched two weeks from today.

Mr. William Emerson left on Thursday, for his Florida home.

Eleanor Frederick has two tenements to let.

Mr. Harvey F. Wheeler left on Monday last for California. We learn that he intends returning to his boyhood's home in the spring.

The members of the Hook and Ladder company served up one of their superlative chowders last Tuesday evening, and numerous guests were present to test its excellent qualities.

The Congregational Society, held a pleasant social at their vestry, on Thursday evening.

Now is the time to set out trees.

By calling at the nursery of Mr. Martin Pfaffman you can select thirty young trees, which will be found to be more reliable than those bought of agents. All varieties of vines, trees and shrubs are sold cheap.

Mr. Albert Holt is making arrangements to leave for Florida in about two weeks, where he intends passing the winter with his son.

The large vessel named Joe Ropes, building at McKen's ship yard, at North Weymouth will probably be launched about Thanksgiving time.

Mr. W. P. F. Meserve has arranged two rooms at the Robertson House, for oyster rooms where the delectable bivalve will be served at short notice.

During the storm the present week about 20 feet of the north pier of the bridge on Quincy Avenue, East Braintree, gave way and fell into the river, leaving a hole in the street about 10 by 20 feet. This street was what was formerly called Queen Ann turnpike, and the bridge, the old toll bridge.

CATHOLIC FAIR. St. John's Church fair had a large nightly attendance during the past week. It positively closes on Wednesday night next. Every night until then will be occupied in drawing the several useful and beautiful prizes.

On Wednesday night drawing of the flag and badge takes place.

"Rally round the flag, boys, Rally once again!"

For the most popular temperance man J. R. Graham is the boss so far. John Cavanaugh, George Cahill and William Webb must be beaten. Mr. Graham, with fore you possess that badge!

But the contest of counties is voting for the one hundred dollar gold watch, for the most popular lady. The voting on it closes to-night. On Thursday night last the vote stood as follows:

Miss Maria Flynn, 430
Miss Campbell of Randolph, 430
Miss Mary Goodhue, 422
Miss Virginia West Quincy, 216
Miss Belmont, 203

INSTALLATION. On Monday evening the following officers of Granite Temple of Honor for the ensuing six months, were installed by Deputy G. W. Tempel. J. M. Gilson, assisted by J. G. Brayman, Chief of Council:

W. C. T.—Chas. A. Follett.
W. F. T.—John O. Hall.
W. Rec.—Amos E. Damon.
W. A. R.—W. E. Thomas.
W. F. R.—Henry Chubbuck.
W. T.—Thomas J. Snell.
W. Chap.—Rev. G. W. Whitney.
W. M.—C. M. Winneberger.
W. D.—W. S. Glover.
W. G.—S. J. M. Brooks.
W. S.—J. W. Small, M. D.

By invitation we attended the installation exercises, they being public, and the ceremony passed off in a pleasing manner. After the installation about an hour was occupied with remarks from the members of the order and their guests. Those of the former evidenced the utmost harmony and good feeling; those of the latter pleasure that it was so. It seems good, in the midst of the wrangle of life, to come upon a body of men whose every word shows the permeation of the spirit of harmony and brotherly feeling evinced by the members of this order. It is an organization at the success of which every good citizen can feel gratified.

Vote in Quincy.

For Governor.

Alexander H. Rice, of Boston, R., 473
William Gaston, of Boston, D., 462
Robert C. Pitman, of Newton, T., 148
Wendell Phillips, of Boston, 3
T. Talbot, of Billerica, 1
Electioneering Governor.
H. G. Knight, of Easthampton, R., 617
Wm. R. Plunkett, of Pittsfield, D., 625
Elijah A. Morse, of Canton, 3
Elijah F. Morse, of Canton, 1
Secretary of the Commonwealth.
Henry B. Peirce, of Abington, R., 619
Weston Howland, of Fairhaven, D., 632
Treasurer and Receiver-General.
Charles Endicott, of Canton, R., 619
David N. Skillings, of Winchester, D., 629
Auditor.
Julius L. Clarke, of Newton, R., 619
John E. Fitzgerald, of Boston, D., 624
Attorney-General.
Charles R. Train, of Boston, R., 476
Chas. P. Thompson, of Gloucester, D., 635
Orin T. Gray, of Hyde Park, T., 143
Councillor.
Harrison Tweed, of Taunton, R., 619
William Aspinwall, of Brookline, D., 632
District Attorney.
Asa French, of Braintree, R., 666
James E. Cotter, of Hyde Park, D., 581
Sheriff.
Rufus C. Wood, of Canton, R., 627
Augustus B. Endicott, of Dedham, D., 625
County Commissioner.
James Humphrey, of Weymouth, R., 618
James M. Freeman, of Franklin, D., 633
Special Commissioners.
John Q. A. Field, of Quincy, R., 609
George P. Morey, of Walpole, R., 616
Isaac W. Follansbee, of Medway, D., 616
Z. L. Bicknell, of Weymouth, D., 625
Edwin W. Marsh, of Quincy, 2
Commissioners of Insolvency.
George W. Wiggins, of Franklin, R., 611
Emery Grover, of Needham, R., 615
James E. Tirrell, of Quincy, R., 597
Thomas E. Barry, of Needham, D., 631
Don G. Hill, of Dedham, D., 631
Wm. G. A. Pattee, of Quincy, D., 623
E. Granville Pratt, of Quincy, 2

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1873.
Wm. B. Washburn, Republican, 499
William Gaston, Democrat, 350
1874
Thomas Talbot, Republican, 489
William Gaston, Democrat, 586
1875
Alexander H. Rice, Republican, 369
William Gaston, Democrat, 596
John L. Baker, Prohibitionist, 50
Charles F. Adams, Independent, 50
1876
Alexander H. Rice, Republican, 811
Charles F. Adams, Democrat, 871
John L. Baker, Prohibitionist, 31
1877
Alexander H. Rice, Republican, 437
William Gaston, Democrat, 625
Robert C. Pitman, Prohibitionist, 148

GOVERNOR'S VOTE. Returns from all but seven towns in the State have been received. The vote for Governor is as follows:—Rice, 96,426; Gaston, 72,375; Pitman, 16,211; Phillips, 3,471.

BRAINTREE ITEMS. The election passed off quietly, in a truly Democratic manner. Mr. Thompson, the Democratic candidate for Representative, run ahead of his ticket. His friends spoke for him.

The boot manufactory being erected by Holbrook, Holbert & Porter is fast approaching completion, and will be in operation some time during the present month.

The Methodist people, who have recently been making improvements on the inside of their church, have now improved the outside by newly painting it.

EAST BRAINTREE. Last Tuesday afternoon, Mr. M. L. White of East Braintree was thrown from his carriage by his horse becoming frightened. He received an ugly cut over the right eye, and the carriage was demolished.

SHIPING NEWS. Arrived at Quincy Point, Oct. 29th, Sch. S. & E. Corson, Capt. Corson, from Philadelphia, with coal to D. Howard Bills.

Same day, Sch. Addie John, Capt. Smith, from Weymouth, N. S., with wood to D. Howard Bills.

Nov. 6th, Sch. Lena, Capt. Hunter, from Baltimore, with coal for Citizen's Gas Company.

Nov. 8th, Sch. T. Simmickson, Capt. Dickinson, from Philadelphia, with coal to D. Howard Bills.

Sunday Services.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AT WOLLASTON HEIGHTS. Services at 10.45 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The Sunday School Monthly Concert will be held in the evening. Theme—"Heaven."

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9.30. Morning service at 10.50 by Rev. S. C. Beane.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2.30 P. M.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 11.45 A. M. Sabbath School Temperance meeting at 7 P. M.

Prayer and Conference meeting Friday evening.

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WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.15 A. M., followed by Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Praise Service at 7, followed by Sermon.

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Representatives to General Court.

FIFTH NORFOLK DISTRICT.

Benj. S. Lovell, Weymouth, elected, 1144
Vote in Quincy, 609; Weymouth, 535.
Geo. F. Hayden, Weymouth, elected, 1151
Vote in Quincy, 609; Weymouth, 542
Edwin W. Marsh, Quincy, elected, 1124
Vote in Quincy, 583; Weymouth, 541.
Zachariah L. Bicknell, Weymouth, 1019
Vote in Quincy, 628; Weymouth, 384.
Abner B. Packard, Quincy, 607
Vote in Quincy, 602; Weymouth, 332
William W. Burke, Weymouth, 891
Vote in Quincy, 619; Weymouth, 272.
Wilmot Cleverly, Weymouth, 137
Vote in Quincy, 2; Weymouth, 135.
Jacob Barker, Weymouth, 146
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Sheriff.—Wood, 686; Endicott, 359.

Senator.—Barker, 562 Adams, 338; Childs, 141.

County Commissioner.—Humphrey, 710; Freeman, 327.

Special Commissioner.—Field, 707; Morey, 708; Follansbee, 338; Bicknell, 331.

Commissioners of Insolvency.—Tirrell, 559; Grover, 561; Wiggins, 561; Barry, 338; Hill, 338; Pattee, 337.

Representatives.—Lovell, 555; Hayden, 542; Marsh, 541; Bicknell, 384; Packard, 332; Barker, 272; Baker, 150; Cleverly, 135; Hall, 144.

DISTRICT COURT. These are the cases this week:

William Fox, of Randolph, for being drunk. Found guilty, and fined \$3 and costs.

Jeremiah Nash, of Randolph, for being a common drunkard. Sent to the House of Correction for four months.

Daniel W. Arnold, of Braintree, for an assault on Helen M. Pratt. On hearing the evidence the Judge ordered the defendant to recognize in the sum of \$700 for his appearance before the Grand Jury, at the December Term of the Superior Court.

The said Arnold was also arraigned for an assault on Addie F. Conner, of Braintree. The evidence was deemed sufficient to hold the defendant in the sum of \$800 to appear before the Grand Jury.

Henry S. Page, an expressman from East Weymouth, was complained of for beating a horse. It appeared by the evidence that he was driving a three-horse team, and the horse on lead was balky, and after considerable vexation the driver gave the horse a severe beating. The Judge fined Mr. Page \$50 and costs, from which sentence he appealed.

ROBERTSON HOUSE. Among the prominent arrivals are the Hon. J. W. Palmer, Bangor, Me.; A. W. Ayers, Elmira, N. Y.; Alonzo Elkins, Cambridge; H. M. Pray, Washington, D. C.; R. H. Pomroy and family, Quincy.

SOCIABLE TIME. A very pleasant and sociable time was enjoyed by the members of Paul Revere Post, and ladies, last Thursday evening, at Faxon Hall. The occasion was one of positive enjoyment. The members of the Belknap Band, with their ladies, were guests of the Post. An excellent supper was served and partaken of by the company. The hours passed all too quickly while the ladies and gentlemen tripped lightly to the sweet music. Time and space forbids a more lengthy notice.

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SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 10, 1877.

THE FAVORITE. Of Brigham Young's wives, Aimee, a beautiful girl from Peoria, Ill., was his favorite and the one most feared. When she removed to Salt Lake she was engaged to a prosperous young merchant in Peoria, but yielded to the Prophet's importunities upon the condition that she should have a handsome furnished home, carriage and horses, and full liberty to provide such home comforts as she might desire. This wife absolutely ruled Brigham, and was the only wife whose unauthorized orders in storekeepers were fully honored. She was very fond of expensive attire, was entirely independent as to the wishes or desires of the Saints, and led a gay, worldly life.

BOSTON CUSTOM HOUSE. The receipts of gold in payment of customs due at the Custom House in October amounted to \$1,103,734.95, making the total for the ten months of the present year \$11,062,019.22, which is a decrease of \$783.18 as compared with the corresponding period of 1876. We give below the October receipts for several years past:

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
1871.	\$1,233,903.70	1872.	\$1,925,715.29
1872.	1,295,627.21	1873.	1,360,381.94
1873.	1,443,137.21	1874.	1,290,345.36
1874.	1,610,399.02	1875.	1,199,136.06
1875.	1,612,350.30	1876.	1,213,077.37
1876.	1,972,256.35	1877.	1,103,734.95
1877.	2,178,823.79		

THE UNCOMMON OCCURRENCE of a draft upon Hanson for juryman for the United States courts, at Boston, has lately taken place, Marcus T. Perry and George C. Hobart being drawn for the grand jury and Elias C. Poole and Philip H. Barker for the traverse jury. It is said that fifty years have elapsed since the last call for United States juryman from Hanson.

A FAST PICKER. The champion cranberry picker of Cape Cod is John Duffy, Jr., of Dennis, who picked two barrels and thirty-six quarts in one day—about one hundred quarts ahead of any yet heard from. Next.—Barnstable Patriot.

A HEROIC LAD. A Springfield high school boy, while walking on the street the other day, saw a bull-dog holding its head low and frothing at the mouth, apparently mad, and making straight for a five-years old boy who was playing in the street. He at once stepped up to the child, and when the dog reached him kicked it over, throttled it with one hand and killed it with a stick he was carrying, receiving during the scuffle a bite in the wrist that left three tooth-marks, which he proceeded coolly to burn out with some matches. The child was uninjured.

FIGHTING OVER A BIBLE. A Waterbury, Conn., brother and sister are fighting for the possession of a Bible, which the sister exhibited at the fair because it was printed in 1765. The brother took it off, and she had him arrested for theft.

WIPE OUT. The last relic of the South Shore route has been "wiped out," the words "Old Colony" having been substituted on the cars now passing over that route.

Fashion Notes.

New fringes imitate flowers, such as lilies-of-the-valley, tulshias, tulips, etc.

Slate, gray and orange are fashionable combinations of color.

Bustles are no longer worn; three flounces on the back breadths of undershirts take their place.

Greek fields of black velvet, without a jeweled ornament above the forehead, now form part of the fashionable coiffure.

Jet beads will glitter all over fashionable wraps once more, almost forming a crust in the extreme of style.

Petticoats imported from Paris are of brocade, damask or velvet, and edged with a narrow frill of black silk.

The bride wears gloves till the marriage service begins, when she takes them off and gives them, with her bouquet, to a bridesmaid to hold for her.

A simple deep bias flounce falling over a side or box plaiting is found to be the most effective skirt, over which is displayed the elaborately trimmed polonaise of this season.

Cloth round hats, matching the cloth of the ulster, are now in favor for traveling wear. They have soft, round Derby crowns, made of many gores, the rims decorated by the sewing machine. A little wing makes them look less masculine.

Budget of Fun.

A sweet little boy, only eight years old, walked into a teachers' examination at Oswego and bawled out: "Annie, your fellow is down to the house."

The "Lady Slipper" is the name of a vessel just launched at Boston. She must be intended for the whaling service.

Brigham Young lost his opportunity when he did not write a work entitled "those wives of mine."

A lady sent to the newspaper to get a receipt to cure the whooping cough in a pair of twins. By a mistake a receipt for pickling onions was unconsciously inserted, and her name attached, and received the answer through the "Answer to Correspondents" "Mrs. L. H. B.—If not too young, skin them pretty closely, immerse in scalding water, sprinkle plentifully with salt, and immerse them for a week in strong brine."

"Misery loves company." So does a marriageable young lady.

"Why don't you speak distinctly?" cried a passenger to a brakeman who announced the names of the stations in an utterly unintelligible manner. "I can't understand a word you say."

"What's that to me?" responded the brakeman. "You don't expect to have a fine clear tenor at \$30 a month do you?"

A dull minister in the pulpit is a sore trial but the soprano in the choir is usually a soarer.

A clergyman of Springfield, who has a bad habit of adding "ah" to many of his words, told last Sunday, of those who had been brought up on the Lord's side-ah.

Take two letters from money, and there will be one left. We knew a fellow that took money from two letters, and there wasn't anything left.

A minister was telling a young girl who was about to become a bride, that she must remember that the man and wife are one. "Lord!" said she, "if you were under my father and mother's window when they are quarrelling you'd think there were at least a dozen."

We rise to ask if anybody in this town knows the name of the young man who called on his adored last evening, and, getting short of something to say, quietly remarked: "How sad it is! Frost has come, and it will kill everything green." Thereupon the young lady extended her hand and said in sympathetic tones: "Good bye."

A Rhode Island man has written a lecture, entitled, "Whom shall I marry?" It is a fine work, but, so far as we are able to see, holds to the old opinion that after all there is nothing better than a woman for a man to marry.

This, of course, is from France: X., walking with a clever doctor, meets a pretty woman, to whom the doctor bows. "Who is she, eh?" "A patient." "Her bow was almost a cut—fifty below." "Possibly. We're not on the best of terms. You see, I was called in to attend her husband and had the misfortune—" "Oh, I see,—to let him die." "No, to let him get well."



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Summary of News.

The farmers around North Middleboro are all rejoicing over bountiful crops.

Baltimore, it is estimated, realized \$600,000 by the peach trade this season.

Since the death of Thiers, his widow visits his grave every afternoon.

Miss Minnie E. Hodges, late cashier and money order clerk in the Des Moines (Iowa) Post Office, handled during six years \$4,000,000, and never made a mistake of a cent.

Texas might be cut up into five States as large as Illinois, each containing over 45,000 square miles; and an early movement toward this end is now predicted.

At Marseilles, hair dealers employ children to pick up combings in the streets. The hair is sold in England.

A Pecan nut tree in Escambia county (Fla.) produced fruit last season that sold for \$125.

A golden wedding in France, recently was made memorable by the fact that the same priest who bestowed the nuptial benediction fifty years ago was present.

There is a family in Randolph who have changed their place of residence eleven times within three years.

The cost of the suppression of the riots in New York foots up about a quarter of a million dollars.

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Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots,	-	\$2 50
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Gents' Congress & lace Waukenphast, Button Boots,	-	2 50 to 4 50
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These are not Cheap Qualities, but the Best Work and Stock.

Satisfaction given if any prove poor with little wear.

The subscriber's 25 years experience in buying and selling none but good fitting and good wearing BOOTS and SHOES, is in marked contrast with the ignorance and unreliability of two-thirds of the Boot and Shoe Retailers, who neither know nor care whether a shoe be good or poor, so long as the sale is made. Call and be satisfied at

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BOOTS AND SHOES,

To Measure and Warranted.

Boot and Shoe Findings

For Sale.

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REPAIRING.	
1-2 Soles, Heels, hand-sewed,	- \$1.25
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Heels,	- .35
1-2 Soles, pegged,	- .65
1-2 Soles, sewed,	- .85
Patches from 10 to 15 cents.	

LADIES:

1-2 Soles, Heels, Ladies,	- .65
1-2 Soles, Heels, Misses,	- .50
1-2 Soles, Heels, Childrens,	- .40

To be made to look as good as new.

Shop on Hancock Street,

Adjoining Charles Crane's Store. Quincy, March 3. tf

BOOTS & SHOES,

Made and Repaired.

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PEREZ JOYCE, Quincy Avenue, near Liberty Street. Sept. 25. tf

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THE undersigned would respectfully announce to the public that he has moved to the shop corner of

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where he is prepared to Make and Repair Boots and Shoes, in a neat manner, at a reasonable price.

Prices for Repairing:

1-2 Soles, Heels, hand-sewed,	- \$1.25
1-2 Soles, Heels, pegged,	- 1.00
Heels,	- .35
1-2 Soles, pegged,	- .65
1-2 Soles, sewed,	- .85

BOYS:

1-2 Soles, Heels,	- .85
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LADIES:

1-2 Soles, Heels,	- .65
1-2 Soles, Heels, Misses,	- .50
1-2 Soles, Heels, Childrens,	- .40

PATCHES from 10 to 15 Cents.

NATH'L NIGHTINGALE. Quincy, May 8. tf

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WhiteWheat Barley Food. A.B.C. Oat Meal. Maizelia.

Very desirable for FAMILIES, HOTELS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS and all institutions for children and all SHIPING. The finest White Wheat Barley Food and Oatmeal. The Most Nutritious, the Most Easily Digested, the Most Palatable, the Most Economical of all food. Thoroughly cooked by our patent steam process and being dehydrated, will keep in all climates. Can be prepared for the table in twenty minutes boiling. For sale by all first-class grocers and to the trade by

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Can't Stand It!

I HAVE found, by a few evenings' trial, that it is inconvenient to the many patrons of

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to have it closed at the early hours recently advertised by the storekeepers of Quincy, and therefore shall feel it my duty to keep open every evening, on and after this date, to such an hour as may suit my patrons.

JOS. W. LOMBARD. Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

Pure Cider Vinegar,

MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE. For sale by the barrel or gallon. E. CLAPP. Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

SOMERSET

COAL COMPANY,

GRANITE STREET, (Near Robertson's Block,) QUINCY.

Coal and Wood,

AT THE LOWEST PRICES!

The Company is prepared to furnish the best quality of

LACKAWANNA,

CUMBERLAND,

LEHIGH,

AND

Lyken's Valley Franklin Coal,

IN SMALL OR LARGE QUANTITIES,

delivered promptly to order.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

AND KINDLINGS,

furnished in quantities to suit customers.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance.

Office open on Saturday Evenings until 8 o'clock; other evenings until 6.

OWEN ADAMS, Agent. Quincy, June 23. tf

CYRUS PATCH,

DEALER IN

FRANKLIN COAL,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY;

LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA

And Best Quality of

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For Blacksmiths' and Steam Purposes.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD

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WHARF AT QUINCY POINT.

OFFICE, — At Keating & Spear's Furniture Store, on Hancock Street, where large and small, may be left at all hours of the day.

Small quantities of Wood and Coal will be kept at this Store to supply immediate demand.

All orders promptly attended to.

A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH. Quincy, May 1. tf

Provision Store.

THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, would inform his friends and the public that a good supply of

FRESH MEAT, FISH,

— AND —

PROVISIONS,

usually kept in Country Store, can be found at his establishment.

CANNED BAKED BEANS, just the article for Picnic Parties. Try them.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

in their season, constantly on hand

All orders attended to with dispatch.

CHARLES CRANE,

HANCOCK STREET. Quincy, June 23. tf

Elm Street Market.

THE subscriber would inform his customers that he is now prepared to furnish them with his usual supply of

Poultry, Meats, Lard, Eggs,

&c., &c., &c.

at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. And a good selection of

Superior Family Groceries,

KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES, IN THEIR SEASON.

Orders respectfully solicited and promptly attended to.

HENRY S. TOTMAN. Quincy, May 13. tf

\$10 to \$1000 Invested in Wall St. Stocks or Wheat makes fortunes every month. Book sent free explaining everything. Address BAXTER & CO., Bankers, 17 Wall Street, New York. May 5—6m

Giants of the Forest.

A correspondent of the New York Sun has been visiting the groves of trees in California, about which so much has been written on account of their immense size. He says:

It was estimated by a lumber merchant that one of the big trees, "The Mother of the Forest," contains 537,000 feet of lumber. This at \$40 per thousand would be worth \$21,480. This tree is 321 feet high, and 137 feet to the first limb. The bark is twelve inches thick, and the tree is eighty-six feet in circumference at the base.

In the Calaveras grove five men worked twenty-two days boring a tree down with pump augurs. After boring the tree until every fibre was severed, it still stood upright. To fall it two days were spent with ropes, and wedges were driven with the butts of trees. Finally the grand old monarch fell, after standing the blasts of 3,000 years. Then they smoothed off the stump, and on the Fourth of July thirty-two persons danced on it. Our party, consisting of about fifteen, chatted around on this stump, but to me it was with a painful feeling. It was like dancing around the tomb of the dead Napoleon; yes, like dancing on the fallen monument to a dead god! This stump is twenty-eight feet across—three wider than a New York building lot—and sound to the centre. It would take sixty-four yards of carpet to cover it. This tree was 302 feet high—higher than the dome of the capitol or than Trinity steeple.

The "Father of the Forest" is another grand old fallen monarch. This tree fell many years ago. It was 375 feet high and twenty-eight feet thick. It being hollow, we rode our horses into its hollow trunk eighty-two feet. The height of the horseback entrance is ten feet. The diameter of the trunk 150 feet from the roots is ten feet four inches.

In the Mariposa grove we came to a large hollow tree called the "Keystone." Eight of us rode our horses through it at one time. It had been burned out and lived in by the Indians, but still looked fresh and vigorous at the top.

In the South Park grove our party all disappeared in a big tree called the "Grand Hotel," the hollow trunk of which will hold forty persons. Near by is "Noah's Ark," now fallen, but which measures ninety feet in circumference and 320 feet in length, and just beyond is an unnamed tree, in the hollow trunk of which sixteen horses can stand.

How many of these big trees are there? There are in California, within twenty-five miles of the Yo Semite valley, five groves of big trees. The Calaveras grove, north of the Yo Semite, contains ninety-four trees; the South Park grove, six miles nearer the Yo Semite, contains 1,380 trees from ten to ninety feet in circumference; the Tuolumne grove contains thirty trees, and the Mariposa 700, making the total number of big trees (sequoia gigantea) in existence in the world 2,214.

Will the number of big trees increase? There is no reason why they should not, although I find only a few young ones growing. The fires run through the woods every year, and this undoubtedly kills the little trees. The seed from the big trees can be easily gathered. Indeed, I gathered, perhaps, 500 seeds, and sent them to different parts of the country.

How old are these trees? I counted the concentric rings on the stump of a big tree—and all botanists agree that each ring represents a year's growth—and they numbered 3,840. So the tree was 3,840 years old. We find many big trees from 1,500 to 4,000 years old. We even find pines, cedars and balsams here from 500 to 1,500 years old. The last is not strange to me, for I remember how a guide once showed me the elms in Oxford, England, and told me they were upward of 700 years old.

The altitude of the big trees makes them grow almost in perpetual snow. On the first of June, when we could see them cradling their wheat in the San Joaquin valley, the frosty winds howled through the big trees, the frozen sleet frosted the limbs of the big trees, and we defiled our horses down the jagged mountain side toward the Yo Semite in a foot of snow.

Some blundering idiot has put that pen where I can't find it! growled old Asperity the other day as he rooted about the desk. "Ah, um, yes; I thought so," he continued in a lower key as he hauled the article from behind his ear.

Vital Statistics.

The Secretary of State has published the annual registration report for Massachusetts for 1876. During the year there were 42,749 births in the State, or 1,847 less than for 1875; 12,749 marriages, or 914 less than in 1875; and 33,186 deaths, or 1,792 less than in 1875, and a rate less than in any year since 1871. One living child was born to every 40 persons; one person in every 66 was married, and one person in every 51 died. The actual per centage of deaths to the whole population of living persons was 19.6 per 1,000. Of the 1,500,000 of people living in Massachusetts in 1876, eleven persons who died during the year—eight females and three males—are said to have reached and survived the age of 100 years.

Twenty of the principal causes of mortality account for nearly three-quarters of the deaths recorded during the year. Among them are: Consumption, 5,327; diphtheria, 2,610; pneumonia, 2,447; cholera infantum, 2,087; old age, 1,661; heart disease, 1,370; scarlatina, 1,222; typhoid fever, 881; paralysis, 820; croup, 684; cancer, 657; convulsions, 597; apoplexy, 507; drowning, 475; bronchitis, 428; dysentery, 417; tubercular meningitis, 397; enteritis, 357; diarrhoea, 335; Bright's disease, 308.

A progressive increase in the mortality attributed to apoplexy, paralysis and insanity is noticeable.

Diphtheria has shown a remarkable rise in fatality since 1872. In that year and in 1873 it stood nineteenth in the list, in 1874 it was the eleventh, in 1875 it reached the seventh place, and in 1876 it takes rank next to consumption; and pneumonia appears to have been particularly fatal in 1876 in all the counties. Typhoid fever was much less prevalent than usual. There were 31 deaths from small pox and 47 from measles.

Price Didn't Suit.

When a middle-aged housewife halted at a Detroit grocery, to ask the price of currants, she was told that they sold for a dollar a peck.

"Four dollars a bushel-e-el!" she almost shrieked.

"Yes'm."

"And do you think I'll buy 'em at that rate?"

"Yes'm."

"Well, I won't! It's a shame, sir, a burning shame, and I for one won't stand it! Why, sir, the idea of currants being four dollars per bushel when wood is only five dollars per cord! I'll buy wood, sir!"

"You don't have to saw and split and pile currants," remarked the grocer.

"Can't help it, can't help it," she replied as she moved on. "I like currant jelly as well as anybody else, but you can't cord it up in the alley, and go out and look at it, and have forty men asking for a job, and warm your feet by it, and—why, I won't talk another minute, sir. Bub, where is there a woodyard around here?"

What She Asked Tommy.

He was named Thomas and she was named Jane. They sat on a hotel balcony, yesterday, for three long hours, and giving themselves dead away as being out-of-towners. As they sat down Thomas took one of Jane's hands. She allowed that sort of thing to go on without a word of protest, and the flax-haired youth finally seized the other one. They talked and talked, and looked down upon the street, and sighed, and the hours slipped away. At the end of the third hour she said:

"Tommy, dearest, I want to ask you something."

"Ask me a hundred—a thousand—a million things!" he exclaimed in reply.

"Well, Tommy, I've got an awful cold in my head, she continued; "and if I drew one of my hands away and wiped my nose, would you think I was mad? I've either got to do that Tommy, or let my nose wipe itself. Just one wipe, Tommy, and then you may have it back."

Tommy released her hand, though he hated to, and her nose was softly and duly wiped.—Richmond Enquirer.

NOTICE.

JOHN H. VEAZIE

HAS REMOVED HIS APOTHECARY STORE from the building of Ex-Honorable H. H. Faxon, to

Store directly Opposite,

formerly occupied by Treanor & McKee.

Please govern yourselves accordingly. Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

Quality Extraordinary.

"Doctor," said a Yankee farmer, entering the store of the village apothecary, "that ere ratsbane o' your'n is fustrate."

"Ah, certain—I knew it," returned the vender of drugs, greatly pleased; "don't keep nothing but the pure things here."

"Sartain," replied the husbandman, with a twinkling nod; "and, doctor, I guess I'll have another pound of it."

"Another pound?"

"Yaas; I gin that pound 'at I bought last week to a pesky old rat that has worried me awfully, and I tell you it made him the sickest critter ye ever see. I kinder reckon how't another might kill him."

About on a par with this is the complaint of a man who bought a keg of powder for blasting purposes.

"Say, Squire," said the individual in question, entering the store where he had bought the powder, "d'ye know that ere powder of your'n is risky stuff to handle?"

"Risky?" repeated the storekeeper not quite comprehending.

"Yaas—kind o' dangerous."

"Ah—you refer to its intense explosive qualities."

"Explosive qualities! I don't know nothin' about that; but it's the all-firedest stuff to burn. Why, that ere keg caught fire accidently, and I'm blamed if the powder didn't burn half up afore we could put in out!"

SUGAR-CURED HAMS. An African gentleman, observing a sign over a Philadelphia grocery inscribed "Sugar-cured hams," entered the place and asked the price. He solicited and got permission to smell a shank. Having done this, he abruptly turned to leave. "Don't you want any of that ham?" said the grocer.

"Well, no, boss," was the reply.

"Der sign reads, 'sugar-cured hams; dat ar' ham's sick yet; my advice to you is to change de medicine."

SPECIAL NOTICE.

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For the FALL and WINTER WEAR, — SUCH AS —

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OF EVERY DISCRPTION, — AND AT —

SUCH LOW PRICES As to Defy Competition!!

Some Odd Lots of Boots and Shoes to be sold at less than cost.

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Patent Safety Lamp

— AND —

SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWELVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY lives, and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by upsetting lamps while burning, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

THIS ENTIRE SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND PROPERTY CAN POSITIVELY BE PREVENTED BY THE USE OF THE

Patent Safety Lamps

— AND —

SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot explode if dropped! Cannot explode if overturned! Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguished as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY W. W. EWELL & CO. Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

CHEAP!

Ladies' Merino Undervests and Pants, At the Very Lowest Prices. Twenty Dozen just received from Auction, By E. CLAPP, 66 HANCOCK STREET. Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

MASON & HAMLIN CABINET ORGANS.

BEST IN THE WORLD.

Receivers of highest awards at ALL WORLDS' EXHIBITIONS of recent years. New Styles, now ready, surpass all previous productions in musical capacity and beauty of Cases.

Catalogue Prices reduced this month on nearly all Styles,

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For Cash: — FIVE-OCTAVE DOUBLE REED ORGAN for \$100. NINE STOPS, \$108. With VIOLA DOLCE, SERAPHONE, VOIX CELESTE, &c., in elegant UPRIGHT CASE, \$125. EXTRA RICH CASE, \$144, and upwards. Sold also for QUARTERLY PAYMENTS, or

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THE REGENT SHIRT FOR BUSINESS, PARTIES, AND WEDDINGS

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GENTS' FURNISHERS,

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Ladies' Laundry,

A SPECIALTY.

67 TREMONT STREET, Tremont House,

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New Millinery Goods

Miss C. S. MILTON

INVITES the attention of the Ladies to her large and BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT of

FALL & WINTER MILLINERY,

CONSISTING

Hats, Frames, Feathers, &c.

STAMPING for Braiding and Embroidery done at short notice.

Thanking the Ladies for their past liberal patronage, she is desirous of a continuance of their favors.

C. S. MILTON, Over the Store formerly occupied by John H. Veazie, Apothecary. Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

MILLINERY.

S. H. HUSSEY

INVITES attention to the Desirable Assortment of NEW GOODS, just received.

ALL THE NEW SHAPES IN Hats, Bonnets and Frames,

to which will be added Fresh Selections, and a Large Variety in

Flowers, Feathers, Velvets, SATINS, SILKS, RIBBONS, &c.,

Will be found to select from. Grateful for past favors, a continuance of patronage is desired.

All orders satisfactorily executed. Opposite Hotel, Hancock Street. Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

NEW Photograph Studio.

Mr. A. Frank Bussell, (Successor and for the past year with Messrs. French & Bass, Photographic Artists.)

HAS opened a NEW and FIRST-CLASS PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO in the NEW BUILDING lately erected by French, located on

Chestnut Street, opposite the Central Church, and would invite all new and beautiful rooms. Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

QUINCY MARKET.

MR. H. B. BROWN

TAKES this method to inform the inhabitants of Quincy and vicinity that he has opened the

Store Opposite the Hotel, ON GRANITE STREET, — AS A —

First-Class Market.

In addition to a FULL STOCK of the first quality of MEATS, he will also have a full supply of all kinds of GAME in their season. VEGETABLES, OYSTERS, PICKLES (hot or cold) CELERY, PARSLEY,

BUTTER, CHEESE, LARD, AND EGGS. Also, — A Full Assortment of FRUITS, Foreign, Domestic and Canned;

JELLIES AND SAUCES; — ALL AT BOSTON PRICES.

FOR CASH.

Patrons desiring us to call for their orders either in the morning, or late afternoon, by expressing their choice will be accommodated. By strict attention and courtesy to all, we hope to merit and receive a share of your patronage. Quincy, Oct. 6. tf

Attention Smokers!

YOU CAN FIND A GOOD ASSORTMENT — OF —

Chewing and Smoking TOBACCO,

— AND —

IMPORTED, KEY WEST AND DOMESTIC CIGARS,

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Quincy, Oct. 13. tf

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Genuine Franklin Coal,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY.

STERLING SHAMOKIN,

— AND —

White Ash and Cumberland Coals.

WOOD.

Nova Scotia Oak and Pine,

SAWED TO ANY LENGTH.

— AND —

SPLIT KINDLINGS.

Orders left at G. F. Wilson's, George Saville's, E. A. Adams', P. O. Box 265, or with the subscriber, will receive prompt attention.

D. HOWARD BILLS. Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

REMOVAL.

The Quincy Dye-House

— AND —

STEAM LAUNDRY,

Has been removed to the Store formerly occupied by KEATING & SPEAR, on

Washington Street,

WHERE the subscriber is prepared to do all kinds of

DYEING,

in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and at reasonable prices.

CLEANING OF ALL KINDS, done at short notice.

We are better prepared than ever to do

LAUNDRYING

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES, in the highest style of the art, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit a liberal patronage.

ORDER BOX at E. R. Souther's, at the Depot, and at Wollaston Post Office. C. W. GEORGE, PROPRIETOR. Quincy, Oct. 20. tf

A Card to the Public. I NOW give notice that I will attend those who may wish the services of a

MALE NURSE OR WATCHER FOR THE SICK. I flatter myself that by my experience in that work, I will be able to give entire satisfaction to those that may need my services.

Those who may stand in need of my help, will find me at my residence on Phipps street, head of Pearl street.

SAMUEL WALES. Quincy, Sept. 29. tf

PAPER HANGING!!

J. W. LeGALLEE.

ALL Orders left at the store of Keating & Spear, Washington Street, or P. O. Box 425, will receive prompt attention. Quincy, April 3. tf

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, NOV. 17, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

Anonymous communications are not published.

THE REFORM CLUB. The weekly social of the Quincy Reform Club last Saturday evening was an agreeable occasion to all present. The white squalls, 'tis true, defeated the black, but the victors and vanquished seemed to enjoy themselves about alike in the tussle. During the evening we were visited by a committee of ladies from the Woman's Temperance Union, who presented the club with a fine specimen of penmanship, in bird form, the gift of a young friend from Michigan. Colonel Parker favored us with a reading of the poem "Shamus O'Brien," which was heartily received. Saturday evening, this week, a prize shooting match will be held, open to all comers. Now is your chance for a record. Come on, boys, and score high for the Quincy Rifle Team.

OPENING ENTERTAINMENT. The opening night of the course of entertainments given at the Town Hall, last Tuesday evening, was by the Wallace troupe. Although the hall was not crowded as might have been expected from the excellent programme, yet an appreciative audience were very delightfully entertained by the talented artists. The parts were all rendered in a most satisfactory and enjoyable manner. The performance on the violin, by the youthful Miss Lillian Chandler, was excellent and did her great credit. She displayed an artistic grace and ease in the skilful handling of the bow, which showed her to be proficient in the art of drawing sweet melody from the instrument. Professor Wallace proved himself to be an expert on the harmonica, and the sweet notes he produced elicited many encores. Mr. Sydney Burt's humorous selections called forth loud peals of laughter. The other artists displayed superior talent in their vocal and instrumental selections. The concert throughout was of a superior character, and we hope that the next evening's entertainment will be greeted with a crowded house.

NARROW ESCAPE. Last Saturday morning, George A. Beard, of this town, had a very narrow escape from a serious accident by leaving the cars while in motion. His point of destination was Harrison Square, but being in conversation with Mr. Meserve, of the Robertson House, when he reached the station, he neglected to leave the cars until they were under headway, when he stepped off in rather a careless manner, and was thrown down, his head striking on the track. His eye was very badly bruised, but otherwise he escaped injury.

CONVENTION. A Norfolk County Temperance Convention, under the direction of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Massachusetts, will be held in Faxon's Hall, on Wednesday afternoon next, commencing at two o'clock, and in the Town Hall in the evening of the same day, commencing at seven o'clock. All persons interested in temperance are cordially invited to be present.

Contributions of refreshments are solicited, and will be gratefully received at Reform Club Building, Wednesday morning, from 9 o'clock until 12.

MASONIC. The District Deputy Grand Master Kingdom, and suite made an annual visitation to Rural Lodge in this town, on Monday evening last. Large delegations from other lodges were present, and a very pleasant and social time was enjoyed.

WOLLASTON HEIGHTS. Charles H. Brainard gave his popular lecture on "Whittier and his Poetry" in the Baptist Church on Monday evening, to a good audience that listened with the closest attention, interrupting him often with hearty applause. The lecture was interspersed with recitations from the most stirring of the poet's lyrics, which were a very pleasant feature of the lecture.

RUNAWAY. Last Sunday evening, while a young man was driving down the steep road from Mount Pleasant, the horse going at a rapid gait, one of the reins broke. The young man jumped from the carriage and led the horse to continue his mad career. He navigated pretty well, turning corners handsomely and bringing up in Mr. George J. Jones' yard, where the wheels of the carriage locked into a wagon, which stopped him just in time to prevent his going over an embankment, some eight feet high.

Martin Burke was arrested in this town Tuesday, on charge of obtaining goods under false pretences some time ago at Watertown. He was taken to Waltham for examination. Burke was brought before Trial Justice Johnson on Wednesday, and being found guilty was bound over to the Grand Jury in the sum of \$300.

A delegation from Paul Revere Lodge of this town, visited Paul Dean Lodge, at North Easton, on Wednesday evening last week, on the occasion of the annual visit of District Deputy Ely. It is needless to say that the usual courtesies were extended, and the party returned with profuse compliments for their hosts, who entertained them in true masonic style.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. The valuable real estate situated on the southern side of Milton Hill, belonging to the heirs of the late Samuel Littlefield, will be sold at auction on Tuesday next at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

It is said that on last Sunday night or Monday morning, dogs entered the premises of H. W. Bennett, at Revere, and killed 110 hens.

Local Items.

"Goose or death" is the cry this week.

There is to be a great "buck-wheat" gathering at H. T. Reed & Co.'s store this afternoon. The griddle cakes are to be mixed, baked and eaten at their store.

Hon. Charles F. Adams and family returned to their winter residence in Boston, on Thursday last week.

The weather on Thursday was unusually mild and pleasant for the season.

A choice lot of meats and other provisions are advertised at the Quincy Market, on Granite street.

The Granite engine company are to hold their annual Thanksgiving eve ball at the Town Hall, on the 28th inst. A pleasant time is expected.

Hon. George T. Bigelow of this town has resigned his position as actuary of the Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Company.

The leaves and rubbish that have collected during the summer in the old cemetery on Hancock street, have been raked up and carted away.

All varieties of toilet soap can be found at Durgin & Co.'s.

George H. Locke, Esq., invites the attention of those who have neglected to pay their poll taxes, to a particular notice for their special benefit.

Miss Mary Bass, a lady eighty-five years of age, made her annual visit this week, to this office, to pay her yearly subscription for the Patriot. She is quite smart for one of her age, and enjoys the weekly visits of her home paper.

There will be a pleasant art entertainment in the basement of St. John's Church, to-morrow evening. It will consist of views of Ireland, Jerusalem, Rome, France and Venice.

The annual High School re-union will take place on Wednesday, December 5.

St. Mary's Total Abstinence and Mutual Relief Society have elected their officers for the ensuing year.

There has been quite a number of new books added to the Public Library the past month.

The Tiger boys are to have a ball Thanksgiving night.

Hon. H. H. Faxon of this town has just given a fine cabinet organ to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Boston, for use in their Friendly Inn on Harrison Avenue.

The Brockton Gazette announces the fact that Col. Parker of this town, was visiting the Whitman school in that place one day last week. It says "it is a question whether or not he was here with evil intent."

We think we never saw a greater improvement made in an old store than has recently taken place in the one occupied for so many years by our beloved and lamented townsman, John Bresler.

There has been considerable stir at the Point this week. A boarding-house mistress who has been doing an extensive business in that line has stepped out suddenly, leaving large amounts due the grocers, butchers and bakers. It is also said that a generous and kind-hearted boarder had loaned the lady a handsome sum of money which appeared to be among the things that were missing.

A horse attached to the milk wagon belonging to Mr. Townsend ran away Wednesday, and distributed the wagon and contents by the wayside.

Catholic Fair.

We give below the votes for the various articles at the Catholic Fair. Next week we will give a full list of the articles drawn on the several tables.

For the gentlemen's gold ring the vote was close, standing as follows:

Stephen Swain, 337
John W. Webb, 325
Thomas H. McDonnell, 101

Mr. Swain was awarded the ring. The contest for the lady's gold watch was animated and exciting. It resulted as follows:

Miss Maria Flynn, 5,275
Miss Claudine Vogel, 2,450
Miss Mary Goodhue, 1,575
Miss Mary Jane Campbell, 475
Miss Maggie Banton, 250

The watch was awarded to Miss Maria Flynn. It brought into the fair about one thousand dollars.

The contest for the flag was a warm one. The St. John's boys worked hard, and rallied with such good will that the stary banner neglected Greeley's good advice, and didn't "go West."

St. John's Cadets, 1,330
St. Mary's Cadets, 1,360

The flag was awarded to St. John's Cadets.

The lady's gold ring—

Miss Agnes Walsh, 246
Miss Louise Thomas, 161
Miss Agnes Garrity, 79
Miss Mary Forrest, 45

The ring was awarded to Miss Agnes Walsh.

For the temperance badge the vote was—

John Cavanagh, 1,674
Mr. John R. Graham, 468

The badge was awarded to Mr. Cavanagh.

PRIVATE SALES. The following private sales have taken place recently in this town and in Milton:

Gold lots 80 and 81 on the Duggan estate, North Quincy, containing 9000 feet of land, for \$2000.

John T. wife of W. P. Putnam, sold 18,570 feet of land on the corner of Putnam and Greenleaf streets, Quincy, to Henry Barker, for \$2000.

Ellis J. Morton sold 20 acres of land on the southeast side of Brush Hill road, Milton, to John W. Denny, for \$20,000.

George W. Tarbox sold 12 acres of land with buildings, on the west side of Randolph avenue, Milton, to Susan F. wife of William H. Snow, for \$3,300.

A Beautiful Granite Pedestal.

Our enterprising townsmen, Messrs. Charles R. & George H. Mitchell, have just completed a beautiful granite pedestal 21 feet in length, 8 feet in width and 16 feet in height, for the equestrian statue of General Green, of Revolutionary fame. It is to be erected in Washington, D. C., at the corner of Massachusetts and Rhode Island avenues. The "stock" used in its construction is of the handsome "pink" shade from the quarries of George B. Wendell & Co., located at the "Neck." A good idea of the labor involved in the getting out of such a piece of work can be gained when we state, that the pedestal is composed of but nine stones, the largest weighing twenty-four tons and the smallest five. The work is executed in the best manner, at a cost of about \$10,000, and it will be a pleasure to our townspeople who may visit Washington, to see so fine an addition, from this town, to the many beautiful works of art already there.

It has been pleasing to notice the activity, during the past season, at the works of the Mitchell Granite Company. We are told they have employed upwards of seventy men for the most of the time, executing work to go to all parts of the country, and that in their extensive business they find that Quincy granite is rapidly growing into favor, for many kinds of work, where in the past, other stock was used.

The granite business is one of the largest industries of this town, and we are pleased to chronicle any items our granite dealers will give us information concerning.

DISTRICT COURT.

The following is a list of the cases before this Court the past week:

Mary Griffin, of Milton, for being a common drunkard. After hearing the witnesses, the Judge placed the case on file for thirty days, on her good behavior. She is a mother and has an infant at her breast, and it is a pitiful sight to see her intoxicated; and a severe punishment to send her to jail.

Margaret Murphy, of Milton, who had indulged freely in intoxicating liquors, was fined \$10 and costs for breaking glass in a house belonging to Thomas Eagan.

Stephen Griffin, of Milton, for an assault on James Murphy. The testimony against him was so slight that Judge Bumpus discharged him.

James Donaldson, of Braintree, for an assault on Thomas Dickey. Dickey acknowledged satisfaction, and Donaldson was discharged on payment of costs.

Patrick H. Curran, of Weymouth, for being drunk. Fined \$3 and costs.

Thomas Kelly, of Randolph, and John Quirk, of Foxboro, were each fined \$3 and costs for being drunk. Being short of cash they were sent to Col. Thomas' hotel at Dedham, at the county's expense.

Edward Fraher, of Weymouth, for the sale of liquor. Discharged.

Michael Patterson, of Weymouth, on complaint of John W. Bartlett, Overseer of the Poor, for vagrancy. Upon request of the defendant, he was sent to the State Work House at Bridgewater for one year.

Edward O'Brien, of Weymouth, for being drunk. Fined \$3 and costs. Committed.

Lewis T. Stetson, Lewis K. Stetson and Eli Eddy, of Braintree, for threatening an assault on Caleb Hayden, of Randolph. They were ordered each to pay one-third the cost, and each of the \$3000 to keep the peace for six months. Eli Eddy was placed under \$100 bonds to keep the peace. From which sentence they appealed. All this affray was about an old goose.

ROBBERY. Rogues are becoming bold and desperate. They do not even respect the officials of the Tribunals of Justice. Hon. J. Walter Belcher, clerk of the East Norfolk District Court, who resides in Randolph, received a very unceremonious visit last Monday night, from some midnight prowlers, who had no fear of the law. After gaining access to his mansion, where a peaceful family were quietly and sweetly enjoying "Nature's sweet restore," not even dreaming that midnight revellers were besieging their larder, these burglars entered the buttry, and finding that the inner man could be well supplied, brought out the fixings and sat down to a bountiful repast, and appearances indicate that they heartily enjoyed it.

Having satisfied the cravings of appetite, they began looking for some money to take with them. A watch, a silver pie knife, and jewelry amounting to about \$150 in all, were taken. Having partaken of the hospitality of friend Belcher, and not wishing to disturb his slumbers, they left his house in as quiet a manner as they entered.

ACCIDENT AT NEPONSET. On Monday afternoon a young man 18 years of age, named George Curtis, 24, had one of his legs severely injured while at work repairing the Neponset drawbridge. He was in the employ of Messrs. Cooke, Ryues, & Co. of Charlestown.

Mr. W. H. Snow advertises a specific for neuralgia and many other troublesome diseases. He is also prepared to use the electric battery on all those who are afflicted with rheumatism, paralysis and other complaints. His medicines can be found at Frederick Hardwick's store in this town.

Diphtheria is raging in East Milton. There has been several deaths there from this dreadful disease.

The Commissioners of Norfolk county have refused the offer of Mr. Buffum of \$2000 for the jail labor for the next year.

The month that has just closed, records the shipment of 500 head of cattle to New England from the port of New York, an increase of nearly a hundred per cent. upon the quantity shipped last year.

For the Patriot.

Braintree.

On Saturday last, about noon, fire was discovered on the house of David Thayer, on West street, at the south part of the town. The Butcher Boys were promptly on the spot, rendering efficient service by saving the barn and other buildings from the flames, which fully consumed the house. The property was insured at Dedham for \$900. The cause of the fire was a defect in the chimney.

The County Commissioners have made an examination of the contemplated extension of Depot street, from the depot at South Braintree to Middle street. The road will probably be built, and it will open a new route from South Braintree to Weymouth, and also open some fine lots for building purposes.

Mr. C. H. Marshall has taken the store in Holbrook Block recently occupied by Smith & Dyer, and intends to keep a first-class market. He proposes to do a cash business, and sell his goods at a small profit.

The Methodist people have made arrangements for a course of lectures, the first to be given the last of the present month.

Mr. N. M. Hobart has finished the reservoir north of the Town House, and has commenced a second one on the south side.

Deacon Atherton Wild, who was injured recently by an unexpected explosion whilst blasting rocks, has returned from Boston, where he had been taken for medical treatment. It is feared that his eyesight is gone.

For the Patriot.

East Milton.

Last Tuesday evening we had the first of the series of entertainments given in the Congregational church.

In arranging the "Bill of Fare" great care has evidently been taken to furnish a sufficient variety to suit the tastes of all. The first of the series consisted of personations and imitations by E. H. Frye, and was fairly attended and appreciated and those who found the second, Brainard's fine lecture on Whittier, somewhat too solid or dry, could hardly fail to be pleased by the third. The Organ Recitals by Mr. Walker, were said by the lovers of music to be very fine, and Miss Friedley's readings were so heartily enjoyed as to leave no doubt as to the opinion of the majority. "Little Mabel With Her Face Against The Pane" was served first. One can confidently on meeting her at any reading. The other selections had the merits of being tolerably unbackneyed.

Mr. Littlefield of Stoughton is announced for next Tuesday and as our little gem of a village boasts more musical than literary culture and the gentleman is a great favorite, it is safe to expect a full house, notwithstanding the late hour of the evening.

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THIS NOTICE

To inform my patrons that my shop (the back shop) has no connection with the front. Please leave your orders there.

Administrator's Sale

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

SITUATED on the southerly side of Milton Hill, adjoining the estate of Capt. R. B. Purdie, on TUESDAY, Nov. 20th, 1877, at 9 o'clock A. M., about 86,000 feet of land, with a dwelling-house thereon, being a part of the homestead estate of the late Daniel F. Bates, deceased. It is delightfully situated in an excellent neighborhood.

\$500 to be paid at once. Also, at the same time and place, about 151 acres of woodland, in Quincy, conveyed to said deceased by John M. Forbes.

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Administrator's Sale

OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to a License of the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises heretofore described, in Colchester, in said County, on SATURDAY, December 1st, 1877, at 1 o'clock P. M.

All the right, title and interest which the late Daniel F. Bates had, at the time of his decease, in and to certain parcel of land, with a dwelling-house and other buildings thereon, situated in said Colchester, and bounded and described as follows: Situated on the northerly side of Beachwood street, and bounded southerly by said street, westerly by Doane street, and northerly and easterly by land of the Beachwood Cemetery Association, and containing about one acre of an acre.

LOUISA B. BATES, Administratrix.

OLD COLONY RAILROAD COMPANY.

THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Old Colony Railroad Company will be held at the hall over the passenger station of the Company in Boston, on TUESDAY, the 17th day of November, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the following purposes:

1. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

2. To transact any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

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Poetry.

Give Him a Chance.

Poor soul he is down at the foot of the hill,
And despairing, we see at a glance;
Beset with temptation, surrounded by sin,
Don't spurn him! just give him a chance.
Were you in his place and as tempted as he,
You might be as bad, even worse;
Then give him your hand and a blessing be-
side.
Instead of a kick or a curse.
So hunted, so branded by merciless men,
No wonder he thinks you are like all the rest,
Be merciful, give him a chance.
He is somebody's son in childhood, perhaps,
He shared a fond mother's caress;
Oh give him a lift—a kind, cheery word,
You surely can do nothing less.
To exercise charity, Christ like to him,
Will only your pleasure enhance;
Then as you hope for mercy from Heaven
above,
Have mercy and give him a chance.

Agricultural, &c.

Transplanting Perennials.

Perennials can be transplanted up to the middle or 20th of November. The mistake which many people make with these flowers, without which no garden can be complete, is omitting to divide and transplant them in new positions, or, where more in number is not needed, to plant them. We venture to say that we can find gardens in which transplanting has not been done in twenty-five years. The effect upon the plants and flowers would soon convince anyone of the necessity of doing so; but with some people a flower is a flower, and they like those best which require the least trouble.—*Germanistown Telegraph.*

Storing Cabbage.

If not stored done, cabbages intended for winter use should receive immediate attention. Freezing moderately even, when wet or covered with snow, does not injure them, but they should never be handled when the leaves are frozen—wait till they have thawed out and then bed them as soon as possible. A cold cellar will keep cabbages pretty well, but as they frequently decay in the cellar when by chance it is too warm for them, and as nothing is more offensive and unwholesome than decayed cabbage in a house cellar, it would be far safer to store them in the barn cellar, or in a shed out-of-doors, as is generally done by the market gardeners.

Preparing Poultry for Market.

Fowls and chickens intended for the market should have no food given them for twenty-four hours previous to killing. Food in the crop is liable to sour, and always injures the sale. Purchasers object to paying for undigested food. Sticking in the neck is the best method of killing, though many cut the heads off. If the head is cut off the neck-hole looks repulsive, and the poultry will not sell as readily.

Most of the poultry coming to market is scalded, or wet picked. Dry picked is preferred and sells higher. Be careful to remove all the pin-feathers, and avoid tearing the skin.—*Ploughman.*

CHARCOAL FOR FOWLS. All kinds of fowls are very fond of charcoal, and will eat it with great relish if properly prepared. Pound charcoal in a mortar, and shape in which fowls usually find their food, and consequently is not very curious to them. To please their palate the charcoal should be in pieces the size of grains of corn, and if these are strewn around their quarters, they will readily eat thereof. Corn burnt on the cob, and the refuse, (which consists almost entirely of the grains of corn reduced to charcoal, and retaining their perfect shape) placed before them, makes a marked improvement in their health, as is shown by the brighter color of their combs, and their sooner producing a greater average of eggs to the flock than they did before.

A farmer at Stowe, Mass., has raised a fine crop of rutabaga turnips. He weighed three, very smooth and firm, which together weighed 48 1/4 pounds; one of the three alone weighed 22 1/4 pounds.

Anecdotes.

James was "coasting" on the Lower Mississippi with a trading boat. A colored woman came on board to buy a dress. James having some unsalable remnants, offered her a piece of calico at a price which he assured her was less than cost. The darkey was not to be taken in that way, and took Mr. Jones entirely aback with the remark:

"O Lord! massa, wonder you stock-keepers isn't all broke up long 'go; you allers sellin' less 'n cost!"

"This world is all a fleeting show," said a priest to a culprit on the gallows. "Yes," was the prompt reply; "but if you have no objections, I'd rather see the show a little longer."

"My dear boy," said a mother to her son, as he handed round his plate for more turkey. "This is the fourth time you've been helped."

"I know, mother," replied the boy, "but that turkey picked at me once, and I want to get square with him." He got his turkey.

"Madam, don't you know that your baby will catch his death of cold?"

"No, sir," she promptly responded.

"Well it's such carelessness as that which fills our cemetery with little graves," he continued.

"While all the old folks continue to live," she replied.

Some men always want to cast a cloud of gloom over a good thing. For example, when Mr. Harrison of Detroit found that he must die, he said to his wife:

"Jane, you'd have full swing now, and it won't be a year before you'll be in the poor-house."

She didn't take a bit of comfort at the funeral.

Conundrums.

"Maggie, dear, if I were to attempt to spell Cupid, why should I be unable to get beyond the first syllable?" Maggie at once gave it up, whereupon Harry said, "Because when I come to C U, I should fail to get any further." Maggie thought it was the nicest conundrum she had ever heard.

Why do people speak about feeling doubts in their own mind? Where else could they be expected to feel them?

What man is always joking? Why, Joe King, of course.

What bar is that which often opens but never shuts? Crowbar.

What would be a proper country for soap bubbles? Greece.

What is that which is full of holes and yet holds water? A sponge.

Renovation, not Prostration. Did any enfeebled human being ever become strong under the operation of powerful cathartics or salines? It is sometimes necessary to regulate the bowels, but that cannot be done by active purgation, which exhausts the vital forces and serves no good purpose whatever. The only true way to promote health and vigor, when we are unable to regulate the bowels, is to invigorate, discipline and purify the system at the same time. The extraordinary efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitter, as a regular habit of life, active circulation of the blood, and purity of all the animal fluids are induced by this simple tonic and cathartic. It is an equal, moreover, as a preventive of chills and fevers, and as a restorative of the system. It is a valuable and trustworthy remedy, and is particularly serviceable as a medicinal safeguard.

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Dr. Howe's Arabian Liver Pills.

The Pills

Unlocks the liver, cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, removes Costiveness, Chills, Fevers, and Biliousness, cleanses the Stomach, and regulates the Liver and Bowels.

The Arabian Tonic

Purifies, cleanses and fills the veins with Pure Rich, Life-giving Blood, vitalizes the whole system, gives strength, creates a ravenous appetite, and expels from the lungs (through the blood) all poisonous matter which the VENOM of the disease breeds upon.

The Arabian Milk Cure

A "pleasant substitute for Cod Liver Oil, feeds the stomach and nourishes the body, cures Cough, Asthma, and all the diseases of the Throat, Lungs, and Bronchial Phlegm, and assists nature in throwing off the corrupt serous matter that causes the irritation, produces the cough, and stops the consumption.

Price of MILK CURE and TONIC

PILLS 25 Cents per Box.

JOHN H. HARRIS, Sole Agent for Quincy, Mass.

Dr. S. D. HOWE, Proprietor.

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Mortgagee's Sale of Real Estate.

To Charles L. Fessenden and Emily Fessenden, of Middlesex, and Howard Gannett of Quincy, and to all other persons interested in the land hereinafter described:

Will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises, on MONDAY, the tenth day of December, 1877, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain deed of mortgage made by Charles L. Fessenden and Emily Fessenden, his wife, in her right, to Howard Gannett of Quincy, dated October 10th, 1874, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds in Book 470, page 207, and by said Gannett duly assigned to George A. Brackett, by an assignment dated April 24th, 1876, and recorded with Norfolk Deeds in Book 473, page 71, for a breach of the condition of said mortgage—

All and singular the premises, being a parcel of land in Quincy, consisting of lots numbered forty-two and forty-three (42 & 43) on a plan of Building Lots drawn by Whitman & Breck, recorded with Norfolk Deeds, and therein bounded southerly on Cedar street one hundred feet; easterly on lot number forty-one one hundred and three feet and two feet; northerly on land formerly of Wollaston Land Associates about one hundred feet; and westerly on lot forty-four one hundred and three feet, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, and subject to all restrictions contained in the deed of Howard Gannett to said Charles L. Fessenden and Emily Fessenden, dated October 10th, 1874. Terms at time and place of sale.

GEORGE A. BRACKETT, Assignee of Mortgage.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

JACKSON'S BEST SWEET HAY CHEWING TOBACCO!

It is awarded the highest prize at the Centennial Exposition for its fine chewing qualities, the excellence and lasting character of its sweetening and flavoring. If you want the best tobacco ever made ask your grocer for this, and see that each plug bears our blue seal, and that it is the genuine JACKSON'S BEST. Sold wholesale by Boston and Portland jobbers. Send for sample to C. A. JACKSON & Co., Manufacturers, Portland, Me.

PLUG TOBACCO!

Merchants' Tobacco Company, Boston. Make the best sold or used. One Dollar, lawful money, in each sixty-pound box. Two Dollars in the case of each case. Sold by Grocers and Tobacconists generally. Patent metal tobacco trade marks on the plugs. Ask for this, and get the best chew or smoke that can be had.

Agents' Wanted!

For Particulars Address

Wilson Sewing Machine Co.,

229 Broadway, New York City.

Chicago, Ill. Or San Francisco, Cal.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 17, 1877.

There is to be another rubber sale in Boston, December 6th and 7th, when \$2,000,000 worth of goods will be offered.

Saturday morning the first to enter the breakfast-room at the Hotel Berkeley, in Boston, were a gentleman and two ladies, whose united ages were over two hundred and fifty years. They are in the enjoyment of excellent health, and have been guests of the Berkeley from its opening.

Mr. W. E. Baker has purchased for permanent exhibition to his friends at Ridge Hills Farm, Wellesley, the immense stuffed horse which was to be seen at the Centennial last year. The horse, when alive, stood twenty-two hands high and weighed 2800 pounds.

The new monument to be erected to ex-President Johnson at Greenville, Tennessee, will be twenty-six feet high, the base of granite, the shaft of Italian marble. Upon the front is a scroll representing the Constitution of the United States; and an open book with a hand resting upon it, representing the taking of the oath of office. Over the apex is the American flag, and surmounting the whole is an American eagle with outstretched wings.

A Canadian farmer claims to have recently plowed up "a petrified turtle or something," which measures three feet in length, two in width and ten inches in height and weighs about 500 pounds.

According to a Boston newspaper, a lady of the "Hub" lately procured a permit for the burial of her pet dog in Mount Auburn Cemetery, through a physician's certificate that "Leo Gilman died of spinal meningitis."

No man leaves much of a hole in the world when he goes out of it. The students of Washington and Lee University have been in the custom of keeping a daily watch over General R. E. Lee's grave as a mark of respect to his memory, but it has at last been abandoned.

A map of Africa, made up from Faun's geography, and supposed to have been drawn up the second century of the Christian era, shows that the lakes actually discovered in the interior of Africa by Livingstone, Bruce, Speke and others, were known to Ptolemy, and that the modern achievements are merely rediscoveries.

One day last week some negro children were playing near a creek in Guilford county, when an alligator crawled out and swallowed one of the children. Next day a party caught the alligator, cut him open, and took the little negro out alive. This is no newspaper lie, but was reported to us by a lawyer, (and they never lie) who substantiates the statement by two negroes who saw the child.—Cuthbert (Ga.) Messenger.

The Old Colony Railroad Company has just put in use on the road a number of E. E. Bean's atmospheric signals for use at switches. There is one in the South Boston freight yard, and several on the main line between Boston and South Braintree. The trains run so near to each other in freight yards and between Boston and South Braintree that the company expect the signals will prove of great value and assistance.

A train on the Canada Southern Railroad was recently run 111 miles in 98 minutes! The fastest time ever made in this country. The run was made between St. Thomas and Amherstburg.

A young gentleman, formerly a resident of Palmer, was married a short time since to a lady whose father is a widower. Soon after the event his sister came to visit the happy couple, but fell in love with the father and soon became her brother's mother-in-law and her sister-in-law's stepmother.

He took her fancy when he came, he took her hand, he took a kiss; he took the notice of the shame that glowed her happy cheek at this. He took to come afterwards; he took an oath he'd never deceive; he took her father's silver spoons, and after that he took his leave.

Call at Ewell & Co.'s, and see the Marvellous Safety Lamp and Surprise Burner. Also some new style brackets, and pretty flower-pots.

Summary of News.

Three coons, weighing two of them thirteen pounds and one of them nineteen, have been captured in Clinton, Mass.

2690 licenses to sell liquors of different kinds have been issued thus far in Boston.

A Haverhill shoemaker is one of a dozen heirs to a property in Germany, amounting to three and a half millions.

Two tons of superior silver ore have recently been shipped from a Newburyport silver mine to Boston.

The Chicago health officers have vaccinated nearly 55,000 persons since August.

A quack has been sentenced in Richmond, Va., to five days' imprisonment and ten lashes well laid on for swindling with his nostrums.

Double postal cards are authorized by the German government. The two parts are each stamped and are to be used when a return answer is requested.

During his long reign the Pope has founded 130 Bishoprics. In Europe there are 595 prelates; in America, 72; in Africa, 11; in Asia, 10, and in Australia 21.

The Trinity Church of Weymouth has invited Rev. John A. Jerome, late of Great Bend, Penn., to become its rector, and he has accepted the call.

The largest block of granite ever quarried in Vermont, perfect in every respect and weighing 628 tons, has just been taken from the Barre Granite Quarries without the use of powder. It is 40 feet long, 17 feet high, and 10 feet thick.

Twenty-three pearls were taken from one oyster, one day last week, by Mr. Charles Sheffield, of Westerly, R. I.

A South Bend, Ind., boy having carried a kernel of corn in his ear for 12 years, had it extracted by a surgeon.

Secretary Sherman has reduced the public debt since he became Secretary of the Treasury upward of forty-five millions of dollars.

The ravages of diphtheria at Paterson, N. J., continue. Four hundred have been treated during October, with a death-rate of 10 per cent.

In seven years the Methodists have established six churches and fifteen Sunday Schools in Utah.

Chatham Island.

Chatham Island, lying off the coast of New Zealand, in the South Pacific Ocean is peculiarly situated, as it is one of the few inhabitable points of the globe where the day of the week changes. It is just on the line of demarcation between dates. Their high twelve on Sunday or Sunday noon ceases, and instantly Monday meridian begins. Sunday comes into a man's house on the east side, and becomes Monday by the time it passes out the western door. A man sits down to his noonday dinner on Sunday, and it is Monday noon before he finishes it. There Saturday is Sunday and Sunday is Monday, and Monday becomes suddenly transferred into Tuesday.

An ambitious young lady was talking very loudly about her favorite authors, when a literary chap asked her if she liked Lamb. With a look of ineffable disgust she answered that she cared little about what she ate compared with knowledge.

Pure Cider Vinegar,

30 cents per gallon,

For sale by HENRY CHUBBUCK.

ALSO

Two Express Wagons,

AND HARNESSES.

One Large Ice Chest, Meat Bench, Scales, and everything needed for fitting up a Provision Store.

At house near Universalist Church. Quincy, Aug. 11.

Stoves! Stoves!

The subscriber has on hand, and is prepared to furnish

Cook, Parlor, and Office STOVES,

OF THE BEST PATTERNS, AT REASONABLE RATES.

Any STOVE, not in stock, will be obtained at short notice.

TIN WARE

Kitchen Furnishing Goods CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Also, —SINKS, LEAD PIPE and SHEET LEAD.

FURNACES AND RANGES

Set and Repaired. Jobbing promptly attended to.

E. S. FELLOWS.

Quincy, Oct. 13.

Weymouth Items.

THE METRIC SYSTEM. In accordance with a vote of the School Committee, Mr. Nowell, the Superintendent, has purchased a complete set of weights and measures for the use of the High School.

GOLDEN WEDDING. On Monday, Nov. 5th, Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Thayer, of South Weymouth, reached the fiftieth year of their married life, and celebrated the event by a golden wedding.

HALF TIME. The Works of the Weymouth Iron Co. are running what is termed half time, working eight instead of ten hours per day.

NEW BELL. The Congregational Society at East Weymouth have recently purchased a new bell. The weight is 2579 pounds, and is set in Key of E, giving a very fine tone.

VISIT. Mr. Parker, Superintendent of the Quincy Schools, has been visiting our Grammar and High Schools. He also intends to visit the lower grades.—Weymouth Gazette.

Valuable Real Estate IN QUINCY, FOR SALE.

THE following described parcels of land situated in Quincy, and belonging to the Estate of the late GRIDLEY TOTMAN, viz.:

A valuable piece of land on Elm street, with the buildings thereon, consisting of a Provision Store, Shop, Barn, and other buildings. It has a street on two sides, and being centrally located, is excellent property for business purposes, or for a residence.

Also, on the same street, nearly opposite the above mentioned premises, a piece of rich, cultivated land, having a frontage of sixty feet upon the street, and adjoining the homestead of the late Gridley Totman.

Also, a valuable lot of Woodland in West Quincy.

For further particulars apply to MRS. GRIDLEY TOTMAN.

Quincy, May 19, 1877.

ISAIAH WHITE & CO. DEALERS IN CHOICE FRUIT, OF ALL KINDS, Both Foreign and Domestic.

Jellies and Preserves. CANNED GOODS, &c.

100 Tremont Street, Boston. (Under Horticultural Hall.)

Good News! Good News!!

THE BEST RANGE

Ever Offered to the Public!!

Over One Hundred in use

In Quincy and Braintree,

And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.

Call and see them, at

CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.

Quincy, Jan. 29.

NEW STORE. NEW GOODS.

THE subscribers have taken the Store on Hancock Street, formerly occupied by Charles F. Pierce, where they will keep a CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Cook Stoves, Ranges, Parlor and Office Stoves

Including the celebrated STEWART STOVES.

ALSO

A full assortment of TIN WARE and KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS.

Furnaces, Ranges, and Stoves REPAIRED at short notice.

Pumps set and Repaired.

Old Copper, Brass, Lead, and Rags, taken in EXCHANGE for WARE.

Prices to suit the times. Terms Cash.

JAMES W. PIERCE.

R. M. SANBORN.

Quincy, Sept. 29.

DENTISTRY.

Teeth \$10 a Set on Rubber.

Repairing, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

All work warranted. Work done at the house of patient if desired.

C. B. UNDERWOOD, DENTIST.

Post Office Box 708.

Quincy, Mass., June 16.

ROBERTSON HOUSE,

QUINCY, MASS.

This new brick Hotel, on Hancock Street, is now open for the accommodation of guests. It is provided with all modern improvements, such as Steam Heat, Bath Rooms, Water Closets, &c., and a very fine DRAMATIC HALL or BALL ROOM.

PLEASURE PARTIES can find here all the comforts formerly enjoyed at the old Lexington House.

W. F. F. MESERVE.

Quincy Dec. 16.

Job Printing

Neatly Done at this Office.

JAMES FAULKNER, Florist and Landscape GARDENER.

P. O. Box 128 East Milton, Mass.

All orders promptly attended to.

Boquets, Wreaths and Floral Designs

MADE TO ORDER.

Also — Stove Greenhouse and Hardy Plants, in large variety.

Mosses, Ferns, and Ornamental Foliage, Plants suitable for Ferneries and Hanging Baskets.

Fruit and Ornamental Trees

IN VARIETY.

GRANITE AVENUE, NORTH QUINCY, MASS.

January 20.

FRENCH'S LIVERY STABLE, (FIRST-CLASS,) WASHINGTON STREET, QUINCY.

ELEGANT VEHICLES and FINE HORSES furnished at the most reasonable rates.

Hacks, with careful drivers, supplied at short notice.

Boarding Horses, by the week, a specialty.

Stabling for Horses, with careful grooms.

WASHINGTON M. FRENCH.

Quincy, October 25.

LIVERY STABLE.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his patrons that he is now located at his

NEW STABLE ON HANCOCK STREET,

REAR OF MESSRS. TIRRELL'S SHOP,

where he is prepared to furnish Horses and Carriages at short notice.

He would take this opportunity to thank the public for their liberal support, and hopes by furnishing good teams at reasonable prices to continue to receive their patronage.

JOHN HALL.

Quincy, June 20.

JOHN CURLEY, HORSE SHOER, AND JOBBER.

Particular attention given to Shoeing

tender-footed and interfering Horses.

Granite Street, Quincy,

Near Chubbuck's Store.

Quincy, Sept. 4.

M. HARTNEY'S

Quincy & Boston Express.

Business Transacted One-Fourth Less than Usual Price.

Leave Quincy at 10 o'clock, A. M., and

Boston at 3 o'clock, P. M.

Orders in Quincy may be left at his residence

on School Street; at the Stores of Daniel Baxter & Co., C. Crane, E. Clapp, at E. B. Souther's, and at P. O. Box 221.

N. B. Furniture Moved with care and responsibility. Money Orders promptly attended to.

Offices in Boston, 43 North Market Street, 10 Faneuil Hall Square, and at 130 and 132

Kneeland Street.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

WINSLOW'S

Quincy & Boston

Railroad Express.

(Formerly Ford's Express.)

BOSTON OFFICES — 34 Court Square, 591-2

Kilby Street, and at 77 Bedford Street

ORDER BOX, at 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

ORDER BOXES — At E. B. Souther's and at the Depot, Quincy.

Leave Quincy at 8.00 and 1 o'clock. Boston

11 and 4.00 o'clock.

Quincy, Jan. 6, 1877.

PETER McCONARTY'S

Quincy & Boston Express.

Office in Boston, No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

Order Boxes in Quincy, at the Stores of Dan-

Baxter & Co., H. W. Gray, and Ewell & Co.

Leave Quincy at 9 A. M. Leave Boston at

2 1-2 o'clock, P. M.

All orders promptly attended to.

Quincy, Jan. 13.

WILLIAM CARRITY'S

(Formerly Fernald & Shea's)

Quincy & Boston Express.

THE subscriber having purchased the good

will of the Route recently managed by

Messrs. Spear & Ramsdell, is prepared to con-

vey Freight and Parcels between Quincy and

Boston, and hopes by strict attention to busi-

ness to merit a share of public patronage.

N. B. Furniture Moved and Parties accom-

modated at short notice.

Leaves Quincy at 9 o'clock, A. M., and Bos-

ton at 2 1-2 P. M.

Quincy — Orders may be left at Whitney &

Nash's, D. Baxter & Co., E. Bent's, and at the

Stable.

Boston — 134 Washington Street, 3 Devon-

shire Street, 4 1-2 South Market Street, and 2

Faneuil Hall Square.

Quincy, Sept. 7.

Lumber. Lumber.

The subscriber would respectfully announce to the inhabitants of Quincy and vicinity, that he is continuing to receive

A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

ALL KINDS OF

LUMBER!

CONSISTING IN PART OF

Spruce & Hemlock Frames.

Worked Flooring.

Pine, Spruce and Hemlock

COVERING BOARDS.

Matched Roofing Boards,

Clapboards,

Pickets,

Shingles,

Laths, &c.

He also keeps CONSTANTLY ON HAND, a full assortment of

DRY AND DRESSED

FINISH LUMBER,

GUTTERS,

CONDUCTORS,

AND

MOULDINGS.

He is prepared to furnish Builders with FIRST-CLASS MOULDINGS at less than manufacturers' prices!!

ALSO

LIME, CEMENT,

AND HAIR.

He has also received a lot of GOOD OLD FASHIONED

Shaved Cedar Shingles,

All of which he sells at a small advance from cost, for cash, on Wharf or delivers promptly to order.

R. H. POMROY,

SUCCESSOR TO

W. F. LAKIN & CO.,

Souther's Wharf,

QUINCY.

P. S. FRAMES SAWED TO ORDER.

July 29.

FORD BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

WILLIAMS'S CELEBRATED

WASHING CRYSTAL,

The Best Article of the Kind in the World!

ASK your Grocer for Williams's Washing Crystal, and TAKE NO OTHER.

The very best article known for WASHING DIRTY OR SOILED HANDS.

Also, for HOUSE CLEANING AND ALL DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

Half the Labor and half the Soap Saved by using

Williams's Washing Crystal.

For sale by all first-class Grocers.

TRY OUR

JAMAICA GINGER,

The Best and Cheapest in the Market!

ALSO

Flavoring Extracts,

OF ALL KINDS.

W. N. FORD, Quincy, Sept. 15.

E. T. FORD.

P. H. GAVIN,

PLUMBER.

Formerly with Wm. Mills & Co., Boston.

Has commenced business at

96 Hancock Street, Quincy,

(Up one flight, in Adams's Block.)

Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Post Office, will receive prompt attention.

EVERY VARIETY of PLUMBING WORK done at

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, NOV. 17, 1877.

Couldn't Understand.

"John," said Mrs. Sanscript to her husband, "I've been reading the paper." "That's nothing," granted John; "I've seen people before who had read newspapers." "Yes; but there are several things in the paper I can't understand." "Then don't read 'em."

"Now, here's a column headed 'Base Ball.' What's base ball, John?" "Don't you know what base ball is? Happy, happy woman, you have not lived in vain." "Here it says that 'the Hartford could not collar Cummings' curves.' What under the sun are Cummings' curves?" "It is the way he delivers the ball." "Is the ball curved?" "No, you booby." "Then how does he deliver it?" "I mean pitches it." "Oh! Now here it says, 'Jones muffed a ball after a hard run.' What was the ball doing after a hard run?" "Hadt'n't you better confine your researches to the obituary and marriage columns, Mary, with an occasional advertisement thrown in to vary the monotony?" "Yes; but, John, I want to know! There's Mrs. Racket over the way who goes to all the base ball games, and comes home to talk me blind about 'fly-foul,' 'base-hits,' 'sky-scrappers,' and all these things. For heaven's sake, John, what is a sky-scraper?" "Compose yourself, old woman. You are treading on dangerous ground; you are on slippery rocks, while raging billows roll beneath." "Mercy on me! What do you mean?" "I mean, my dear madam, that whenever a woman begins to pry about among three strikes, fair balls, base hits, daisy-cutters, home runs, and kindred subjects, she is in danger of being lost." "Well I confess I'm completely lost to know what this newspaper means when it says Addy stole a base, while the spectators applauded. Have we come to such a pass that society will applaud a theft? Why wasn't Addy arrested? Now, here's Manning put out by Starr, assisted by Carey, and I can't say that he did anything wrong, either. Jemima Christopher! Here it says that Pike flew out. I don't believe a word of it. I never saw a man fly yet, and I won't believe it can be done till I see it with my own eyes. John, what makes these newspaper men lie so horribly?" John was asleep, and Mrs. Sanscript turned gloomily, not to say sceptically, to the letter-list for information.

Cheerful People.

A blessing on the cheerful people—man, woman, or child, old or young, illiterate or educated, handsome or homely. Over and above every other social trait stands cheerfulness. What the sun is to Nature—what joy to the stricken heart—are cheerful people in the houses and by the wayside. They go unobtrusively and unconsciously about their silent mission, brightening up society round about them with happiness always beaming from their faces.

We love to sit near them; we love the expression of their eye, the tone of their voice. Little children find them out. Oh! so quickly, amidst the dense crowd, and passing by the scowling brow and lips drawn at their corners, glide near, and laying a confiding little hand on their knee, lift their clear young eyes to those loving faces.

"Ye Don't Catch Me."

He was tall and awkward, and she short and bashful, but both wore a nervous aspect of exceeding great joy. They entered a hotel in Chicago, and after he had registered his name "and lady," he said to the clerk:

"See here, mister, me and my wife have just been spliced, and I am going to show Amanda Chicago, if it takes a mule a day. Now give us one of them rooms like the Temple of Solomon, you know."

The clerk called a row-boy, and said, "Show this gentleman to the bridal chamber."

At this direction the tall rustic became instantly excited.

"Not by a durned sight! Ye shiny-haired, biled-shirted, dollar-breast-pinned, grinning monkey, ye can't play that on me! If I am from the country, ye don't catch me and my wife sleeping in your old harness room." And they left the hotel.

The dairymaid's ditty:—"Tis butter simple faded flower." The butcher's:—"Meat me by moonlight alone."

A Disappointed Wife.

A downcast-looking woman, about 40 years old called at a lawyer's office and asked the attorney if he could see to a little business for her. He replied that he could, and she explained:

"My husband went to the Black Hills over four months ago."

"Yes, I see. That is desertion, and good grounds for a divorce," he replied.

"I don't want no divorce, sir. What I want is for him to send me some money."

"And he won't?"

"Well, he hasn't sent any yet."

"And what am I to do?" asked the lawyer.

"Put a lawsuit on him and scare him into it," she answered.

He gloomily replied that the court here had no jurisdictions in such a case, and that he could do nothing.

"Why, if I was a lawyer I could put a suit on him in an hour—I know I could," she protested.

He shook his head.

"Well, all right," she said, as she rose to go; "I thought lawyers had some get-up to 'em, and I always held my breath when one passed the house, but this thing has opened my eyes. You don't know any more than I do, sir, and I don't know anything. Good day, sir!"

Taking the Pledge.

A Californian story tells of a man who resolved to give up drinking, and went to a notary to get him to draw up an affidavit to that effect. The document was drawn, read, and approved; the party held up his hand and murmured the usual promise. The paper was then properly sealed and delivered. "What's to pay?" asked the pledge maker. "To pay—to pay?" exclaimed the notary. "Nothing,—of course—this is a labor of love." "Nothing to pay?" returned the grateful, but very forgetful, pledge taker. "You're a brick! Let's take a drink!"

Red Wall Paper.

To the dangers due to the arsenic entering into the pigments used in staining green wall paper, must now be added others produced by coralline dye employed in the coloring of red hangings. It appears that the poisonous symptoms (extending to acute eruptions of the body when under garments thus dyed are worn, and to eye diseases in papered rooms) are owing not directly to the coralline, since recent experiments have proved the substance to be harmless, but to an arsenical mordant used to fix it. This last acts as a poison, both topically upon the skin, through contact with garments, and also by its dust and vapors, disengaged from the stuffs which it colors.

A Good Winter Wife.

A negro man has just applied to a Milton magistrate to know how to get his wife back. Milton is only separated from the Virginia line by a small creek, and it seems the woman's brother had run her off from her husband, and taken her across the creek. "How can I get her, boss, un what's de law in Virginny?" asked the negro. "The cheapest way," said the magistrate, "is to have no law about it; just go across the creek and overpower her, and bring her home." "I'll sho do it, boss," said the negro; "a hard winter settin' in, no wood and no nuffin; but dat gal weighs 200, and she gibs out heat like a stove, d'only time when a wife's a comfort." He waded the creek with a steer whip in one hand and a long rope in the other.

FREDERICK & FIELD, GRANITE DEALERS

AND CONTRACTORS FOR Granite Fronts, Monuments, AND CEMETERY WORK.

All kinds of Granite furnished. Quincy, Aug. 4. tf

Quincy Bakery.

The subscriber would inform the citizens of Quincy and adjoining towns that he will continue to manufacture at his establishment

Bread, Cake, and Pastry,

and all other articles usually found in any Bakery Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of

Plain and Fancy Crackers.

GINGER SNAPS, &c.

Hot Rolls every Evening.

WEDDING CAKE furnished to order at Boston prices. CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR for sale at lowest cash prices.

WM. A. HODGES. Quincy, Jan. 21. tf

POISONOUS GREEN WOOL. An English medical practitioner calls attention to the injurious effects arising from the use of colored wool—more especially that shade of color so frequently selected and known as emerald green. He says he has lately witnessed an instance of arsenical poisoning arising from its use, and on testing a portion of the wool the lady had been using found it largely charged with arsenic. Undoubtedly, from the frequent shaking of the article under manufacture, small particles would find their way into the air passages and stomach, and so infiltrate the system. Though aware that much has been said and published with respect to the use of such poisonous articles being brought into domestic use, he makes a repetition of the fact now as the season of year is advancing when out-door amusements will give way to in-door fancy work, etc.

TRUE WORDS. The newspapers of a town are its life blood. Without them it cannot prosper. The better they are supported at home, the more powerful will their influence be abroad. In young cities along the Missouri, the daily papers have done more and are doing more to aid in building up the towns in which they are published, and to increase their business, than all the merchants together. To the merchants they are indispensable, as those who have made use of them as a medium through which to reach the public well know. And they contribute largely to the prosperity of every citizen, for their influence is felt in a thousand different ways and exerted in a thousand different directions.—*Champion, Atchinson, Kan.*

There are seventy establishments in the United States devoted to the manufacture of window-glass, and millions of small boys to break it, and its nip and tuck between them all the time, with the odds in favor of the boys.—*Bridgeport Standard.*

DRESS MAKING, AND —

MILLINERY.

The subscriber is prepared to do Cloak and Dress-Making, in all the different and Most Fashionable Styles, at her residence at the head of Granite Street, where the LATEST PATTERNS are received as fast as issued. She would state that the latest style of

MILLINERY GOODS can be found at her Store, and she is prepared to do any work in that line that may be entrusted to her.

A good assortment of MILLINERY GOODS will be found to select from.

Mrs. LYDIA CLAPP. Quincy, June 24. tf

REMOVAL!!

MISS M. J. BELLEW,

Would announce to her friends and patrons, that she has taken a Room in

ROBERTSON'S HOTEL, HANCOCK STREET,

Where she is prepared to attend to

Hair Dressing & Shampooing, as heretofore.

Also, MILLINERY WORK done to order. Quincy, June 16. tf

Ladies!

THE undersigned wishes to inform the Ladies of Quincy and vicinity, that she has opened a

Dress-Making Establishment, in the New Hotel known as the

"ROBERTSON HOUSE," where she will be pleased to suit all the Ladies who may favor her with their patronage.

MRS. F. A. LAPHAM, Formerly of Boston. Quincy, May 5. tf

Funeral and Furnishing UNDERTAKER.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he is fully prepared to execute all orders in the Furnishing Undertaker's business, at his establishment,

No. 51 Hancock Street.

Constantly on hand, a FULL ASSORTMENT of CASKETS, COFFINS, Robes and Habits.

Having had several years experience in the Undertaking business, the subscriber hopes by strict attention to the wants of all callers to merit a share of patronage.

JOHN HALL. Quincy, March 10. tf

AGENTS WANTED

In every town in New England, to sell the VICTOR NUTMEG GRATER, just patented. Beats the world! \$5 a day easy. Samples 25 cents. We also manufacture the Eagle Branding Paper; the finest indigo blueing ever offered. Can be sold to every house and laundry. Sample 10 cents; also, 50 other new novelties, including the popular toy; the shooting star, 15 cents; Boot Button Fasteners, 15 cents; Cold Water Pens, all styles, &c. Send for free catalogue. DOWNING & PHILBROOK, 59 School Street, Boston. Oct. 27. 6m

For Thirty Days.

COTTAGE TEA SET, 70 PIECES, \$3.75.

LONDON DINNER SET,

OVER 100 PIECES \$10.00.

EXCELSIOR TEA SET,

56 PIECES, \$3.25.

Gem Tea Set of 38 Pieces, \$2.50.

And now for the first time offered in this country the

Royal Breakfast, Dinner and Tea Set,

Over 200 Pieces, \$19.50,

Including large Tureen, Covered Dishes, Plates, Platters, and Vegetable Dishes in all desirable sizes, and Handled Teas and Coffees.

ALL the above are of our own importation in ENGLISH STONE CHINA, and in the newest and most desirable shapes, from one of the best Potteries of England, from which we have sold goods for nearly twenty years, giving universal satisfaction.

In connection with the above, we have an unusual assortment of

Parisian Granite, Common Crockery,

FANCY GOODS,

STONE CHINA, YELLOW WARE, GLASS WARE,

TIN WARE, WOODEN WARE,

TABLE CUTLERY.

LAMPS,

In New and Elegant Patterns of Bronze, Nickel and Glass.

SILVER PLATED WARE,

(None but the Best.)

TEA SET, \$20, and upwards; ICE PITCHERS, \$9.00 and upwards; CASTERS, \$3.00 and upwards; CAKE BASKETS, \$3.75 and upwards.

Rogers & Brother's Knives, Forks and Spoons,

together with an endless variety of HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, both useful and ornamental, all of which will be sold at the

VERY LOWEST PRICES,

At Wholesale or Retail.

Remember we are never undersold, and will not be. Send for List.

GUY & BROTHERS,

33 BEDFORD STREET, 33, BOSTON.

Only a few doors from Washington Street, opposite West, and convenient to all the Dry Goods stores. Boston, Oct. 27. 4w

NEW GOODS.

GEORGE SAVILLE,

90 Hancock Street,

Is daily adding to his Stock a FULL LINE of Goods in his different departments,

CONSISTING OF

Boots, Shoes & Rubbers,

HATS AND CAPS,

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

Gents' Furnishing Goods,

JEWELRY,

Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags

And Umbrellas.

All of which he is selling at prices to correspond with the times.

CALL AND EXAMINE.

GEO. SAVILLE.

Quincy, Sept. 16. tf

P. A. WALES & SONS,

MANUFACTURERS OF

LOG PUMPS,

RANDOLPH, MASS.

ORDERS from abroad, whether given by letter or in person, will receive prompt attention; and all work done will be warranted satisfactory, and secure from action of frost.—The Pumps are put in sections, and furnished with metallic chambers, if desired. Also, Pumps made with closed heads for use in public places. Randolph, Sept. 8. 3m

SINGING BIRDS, FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has just received at his store on Washington Street, rear of Dr. French's Boarding Establishment, a large variety of "Feathered Songsters," including

Canaries, Mocking Birds,

Bulfinches, Cardinals, &c.,

which he will dispose of at reasonable rates.

Also—BIRD CAGES.

Constantly on hand and for sale.—Gravel Paper, and Cage Springs.

FRANK W. FRENCH. Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

RALPH LOWE

RETURNS his thanks to the public generally for their liberal patronage, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

All orders left will receive prompt attention.

Collar and Harness Making

AND—

Carriage Trimmings

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

N. B. Every article in the trade made to order, and REPAIRING done in the most manner and at the most reasonable rates. Quincy, Aug. 25. tf

JUST RECEIVED,

A GOOD LINE OF

German Worstedes,

CARDBOARD, MOTTOS,

Marking & Embroidery Books

Also—a nice lot of

EDGINGS, INSERTIONS

Laces and Ribbons.

All will be sold CHEAP for Cash.

N. B. FURNALD'S. Quincy, Feb. 10. Washington St. 4

both the stories and pictures are intended to meet the exactions of the large class of parents who would give their children on the Sabbath only such books as are especially adapted for Sunday reading. The stories and illustrations are of interest for children, and inculcate wholesome lessons in a charming way.

Very Good.

A quiet reproof was adroitly given by Dr. Bethune to Rev. Dr. Tyng, in a platform meeting in Philadelphia, A. D., 1873. Dr. Tyng had introduced himself to the audience by assuring them of his firmness as an Episcopalian; that his birth, baptism, confirmation, &c., had been an Episcopalian; that he expected to live, and die, and go to heaven as an Episcopalian, and to be an Episcopalian in heaven. Dr. Bethune, rising introduced, said, "As for myself, am nothing but a Reformed Dutchman. I expect to live and die a Reformed Dutchman; but when I get to heaven I shall be an Episcopalian, for I am determined to be with Brother Tyng."

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, NOV. 24, 1877.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE. Next week we shall issue the PATRIOT on Wednesday afternoon, as has been our custom on Thanksgiving week for some years. All advertisers and patrons will please take notice, and hand in their orders early. Long articles and advertisements must be received early Tuesday morning to ensure insertion. Small notices will be received Tuesday afternoon.

The New Ship.

The ship built at the Point this season, and of which mention has been made in previous issues of this paper, will be launched to-day at high tide. It is the largest vessel ever built in this town, her dimensions being as follows, viz:—Length of keel 230 feet; length between perpendiculars 241 feet and 6 inches; length over all 252 feet; breadth of beam 43 feet; depth of hold 28 feet, 6 inches; and will register about 2300 tons.

Her builder, Dea. George Thomas, is well known to the commercial world as the builder of the celebrated clipper ship Red Jacket, whose trip across the Atlantic stands unrivaled to this day. Also as monuments of his skill and architecture as a naval constructor could be mentioned the clippers Northern Light, Triumphant and America.

Since Dea. Thomas located in Quincy, he has built nearly thirty vessels with an aggregate tonnage of over 30,000 tons.

The ship is constructed in the most thorough manner, her frame being of oak, and ceiling and planking southern pine, and she is pronounced by those competent of judging to be a perfect ship.

Her hull is painted green to the water line and black above, while a life size statue of an Indian adorns her bow.

She is owned by Capt. Isaac Taylor and Dea. Thomas, and is for sale.

Quincy Almanac for 1878.

We have commenced printing this week our Illustrated Almanac for 1878, and shall endeavor to complete the same in about four weeks. It will not only give the correct time of the rising and setting of the sun and moon, but the time of full sea, so that our citizens will know when to go clamming, fishing, gunning and boat-racing. It will also contain a Chronological Table of all important events that have occurred in Quincy the present year, and the Church Days and eclipses for 1878. A correct list of all Town Officers, Postmasters, &c., &c. A dozen beautiful illustrations, and more, will grace its pages, besides such business cards as our leading merchants may send to us. We shall be pleased to receive all orders for advertising at an early day, and favors left at this office will receive immediate attention.

A FINE MONUMENT. We visited this week the granite yard of Messrs. P. McDowell & Sons, and had the pleasure of examining the fine cemetery work being manufactured by this firm. They are among the largest dealers in this class of work, and have now on hand contracts for forty monuments of different styles and prices. One of the prettiest among the collection, is a pedestal for Mr. Davidson of Michigan, Wisconsin. He is erecting it to the memory of his only daughter a young lady who was taken sick last year while visiting the centennial exhibition and has since died. It is about ten feet high, weighs about ten tons, and is to be surmounted by a statue of Hope, in Italian marble which is now being cut in Italy. The cost of the monument when completed will be \$3,000. The design is entirely new and somewhat difficult to describe. The sides are concave, very highly polished, with hands and cornices finished in the same manner; still there is enough hammered to give it a rich and beautiful effect; and it is worthy of a visit from any of our citizens.

COFFEE PARTY. The Coffee Party to be given in the Town Hall on Monday evening next, promises to be a most enjoyable affair. The ladies are doing all in their power to make it a success and judging from the interest manifested in the matter by the gentlemen it will be a pleasant time. Tickets can be had from the members of St. John's Total Abstinence Society, and from the members of the Boat Club, or at the door.

FOOT BALL. On Monday last the second eleven of Adams Academy played a match game of football on their grounds on Greenleaf street against the first eleven of the Cambridge High School. The game at the beginning was very closely contested but before the first three-quarters were up the Adams team had secured two goals, which were kicked by Keith from touchdowns. During the next three-quarters several other touchdowns were obtained, and when the game was called the score stood two goals and seven touchdowns for Adams eleven to nothing for their opponents.

The umpires were for Adams, Mr. F. Warren; for Cambridge, Mr. Agassiz. Referee, Mr. J. Dwight Barwell.

The Academy eleven was composed of the following players:—Rushers, Morrison, Williams, (Capt.) Hardwick, Keith, Trank, Rockwell, Half Back, Webb, Clark, Rhodes; Backs, Ledlie, Wellington.

REAL ESTATE SALES. Albina M. Bowditch bought land on the north side of Allen street, Braintree, with buildings, of Dorcas L. Gardner et al, for \$2500.

Phineas Bronson sold 83,076 feet of land on the southeast side of the old Taunton road, now Canton Avenue, Milton, to Edith H. East for \$1,375.00.

A portion of the real estate situated on Milton Hill, with some woodland in Quincy, belonging to the late Samuel Littlefield, was sold at auction on Tuesday last for \$9,787.50.

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SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2.30 P. M.

Local Items.

The large vessel just completed at the Point will be launched to-day, at 1 o'clock.

Three acres of woodland belonging to L. W. Anderson of this town will be sold on Wednesday next.

The Reform Club Room is opened every evening, from 6 to 10 o'clock.

The High School Reunion takes place on Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th. Orator by Mr. Henry McGrath.

The barque Joseph Ropes, which was to have been launched at high water on Wednesday, got stuck on the ways and could not be got off.

Neponset bridge is fast nearing completion. Foot passengers have been able to cross the present week, and probably by Thanksgiving, it will be opened to travel.

The winding up of the Fair, held by the Catholics in this town, will be a Coffee Party at the Town Hall on Monday evening.

E. F. E. Thayer Esq., of Braintree will sell oak and walnut wood of thirty years growth, in that town, on the 28th inst.

A bright interesting little lad, son of Dr. Harlow, was severely injured on Monday, while playing football at his father's residence by running against a tree.

The tax collector wishes us to state that there is a good crop of unpaid taxes nearly ready to blossom out into collectors' fees and all the legal preliminaries attendant thereto. A word to the wise is sufficient.

OBITUARY. Mrs. Rachel H., widow of the late Stephen Bates, died quite suddenly at her residence on Sunday evening last. Mrs. Bates had reached an advanced age, and although for a long time an invalid yet her mental faculties were clear and bright, and she enjoyed the society of her friends. She was of quiet and retiring manners, but possessed a benevolent and social disposition which made her an agreeable and entertaining companion. Her funeral took place from her late residence on Wednesday, and was largely attended. Rev. Mr. Allen made a very excellent prayer, and her pastor Rev. Mr. Norton spoke beautifully of her Christian virtues and of the pleasant and kindly greetings with which she welcomed all who visited her. Singers were present and her favorite hymn, "Oh think of the home over there" was sweetly rendered. Her remains were conveyed to Weymouth for interment.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY. The following is the vote at the recent election for the candidates for District Attorney for the Southeastern District:

Whole number of votes,	18,455
Asa French, of Braintree,	11,594
James E. Cotter, of Hyde Park,	6,754
Edmund Davis, "	92
Scattering,	15

DECEASED. George W. E. Wood, son of the late Mark Wood of this town, died at his residence in Boston, on Saturday last. He was a man of great energy and was favorably known in the business community. The shoe and leather dealers, held a meeting in Boston on Monday, and passed resolutions of respect to his memory.

RUNAWAYS. A horse attached to an open carriage was hitched to a post in front of the Robertson House on Monday last, when he became restive and broke from his fastenings and started on a run through the Square leaving the cushions and seat behind him. He made pretty good time until he reached Squantum, where he arrived in good condition not having done any damage.

One of the depot carriages belonging to Mr. D. K. Flint, was badly wrecked last Tuesday noon, by the horse, which was a new one on the route, becoming frightened at the cars while standing at the depot.

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A Lively Fight.

Our usually quiet town was the scene of a lively fight on Saturday evening last, at the corner of Chestnut and Canal streets. About forty men were engaged in the affair. The squallers struck hard from the shoulder, and some very effective blows were given, over two hundred shots were fired, and everybody hit except one man, who firing eight shots missed the target each time. The scores of the different marksmen were greatly varied. We report the seven best. Undoubtedly these men are candidates for a rifle team:

Allen,	10	5	0	5	3	4	6	4	37
Hanson,	6	5	0	6	6	6	6	4	41
Curtis,	6	4	4	4	4	6	6	39	
Hunt,	5	3	3	4	4	6	6	34	
Starbird,	3	3	4	6	3	5	3	30	37
Souther,	5	4	2	6	10	2	6	41	
Noisy Boy,	6	3	10	5	2	6	6	42	

The prize, a bag of apples, being declared won by the Noisy Boy, they were distributed, and amid the gnashings of teeth by the defeated contestants, speedily disappeared.

On the evening of the Quincy Reform Club Saturday evening. This week our victory over the bottle will be further celebrated by a large participation in "The Needle-eye Bottle-ride."

Please be on hand. If you are not a member now, come and join.

The Old South Fair.

An appeal is again made to all the patriotic citizens of Quincy to contribute to the Old South Fair, which will be opened in Boston on the 3d of December.

Every variety of articles will be acceptable and can be sent to the house of Miss E. C. Adams, Elm street, Quincy, on or before the first of December. She has been requested by the committee to solicit aid and assistance for the "Norfolk County Table," Mrs. Batchelder of Dover being the president.

The ladies who are working so hard for the preservation of the Old South, feel confident, if this Fair is a success, they will be enabled to complete the purchase of the old historic building—a consummation most devoutly to be prayed for.

If more convenient large articles could be sent direct to the Old South, marked Norfolk County Table, from Quincy. The Catholics also desired to have a table, and any aid from Quincy will be acceptable.

READING. The next entertainment in the course in Quincy, will be given on Monday evening next. The two readers, Professor Bloch and Miss Freedley are among the very best in the country. In addition to these and over and above what was promised, the managers have engaged Professor Wallace to play several pieces on the harmonica. This is in response to a general desire to hear him again. He is the only man in the world who can play that instrument with any success.

The New England Reform Club Association will meet at Hartford, Conn., on Tuesday, December 4, 1877, at 11 A. M., and continue until Wednesday evening, the 5th. Every club in New England is requested to send a delegation, and all reformed men are invited to become members.

Property Slanderers.

"It is a dirty bird that fouls its own nest," is a true bit of towns and neighborhood as of families.

There are always some in every community who strive to live on the misfortunes of their neighbors; who cry down everything about them which they do not own or cannot profit by. This is nowhere more marked than in attempts to sell property, especially now. A stranger is offered a residence in the town at a price which the owner can ill afford to make. Of course, the first step is to look at the property; this he does with the owner or his broker. The next visit he makes for the purpose of inquiry.

Meets Mr. A., who kindly informs him that the property is heavily mortgaged, that the owner must sell. The next meeting is with Mr. B. doesn't know but the place is worth the price asked, "guess 'tis, but they say it's 'awful windy,' besides, has water in the cellar." Mr. C. thinks the place cheap, but guesses the house was shammed in building. Mr. D. who is buying up property at bargain, "don't believe the owner will get into \$2,000 of what he asks, yet guesses he's got a pretty good property. Nice fellow; would like to help him, but—" etc.

Now what is the chance? No sale; one house less to be taxed (for the owner would build again); a valuable property holder scared away, and nobody benefited!

Thus many a community is cursed by these chronic croakers, whose low instincts befall the property atmosphere where they reside, and like certain insects, riot on corruption of their own creating. No individual of a town can be benefited in property without benefiting his neighbors. When will we learn this truth? JOHN SMITH.

Sunday Services.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9.30. Morning service at 10.50 by Rev. Chas. G. Ames of Boston.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AT WOLASTON HEIGHTS. Services at 10.45 A. M. and 7.30 P. M. The Pastor will preach on Sunday evening will be the "perils of the young."

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10.30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 11.45 A. M. At 7 o'clock P. M. the Pastor will give his third Sabbath Evening Lecture to the Young People, Theme, "Truthful."

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10.12 A. M., followed by Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock P. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Fifth sermon of the People's Course. Subject, "The Good Samaritan." Services begin at 10.30 A. M. Sunday school immediately following.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2.30 P. M.

Ewell & Co., have the Patent Safety Surprise Razor for sale.

Catholic Fair.

The Catholic Fair closed on Friday evening of last week. It was a financial as well as a social success. The following is a list of the articles drawn, the number, and the name of those who drew:

No. 1, Young Women's Sodality Table.	NAME.
Misses Maria Flynn and Katie Larkin.	
No. 2, Picture of Father Francis.	Katie F. Larkin
30. Motto.	Michael Desh.
40. Lamp.	Maggie M. Moriarty
50. Gentleman's Pin.	Ellie K. Hodges
60. Two Velvet Frames.	Mrs. Thos. Kerkley
70. Album.	D. D. Webb
80. Circular Cape.	Norah E. Daley
90. Piece of Cotton Cloth.	Jas. Mullaney
100. Gold Ring.	Rev. T. Barry, Rockport
110. Shopping Bag.	Joseph Yost
120. Glass Set.	John N. Maule
130. Dress.	Miss Nellie Munroe, Dorchester
140. Picture of Immaculation.	Katie F. Larkin
150. Pair of Lady's Boots.	Mr. Moynihan
160. Gold Cross and Chain.	Katie Plant
170. Silver Set.	Jas. Cleary, St. Boston
180. Pair of Boots.	Walter Gregory
190. Centre Table.	Jas. Usher
200. Picture of Father Francis.	John Halloran
210. Chamber Set.	Mrs. John Crathorne
220. Silver Spoon.	F. A. Turrell

No. 2, Altar Boys' Table. Miss Kate C. Sullivan and Miss Isabella Gregory.

No. 3, Barrel of Flour. Peter Lane

108. Gold Chain and Cross. Rev. J. T. Gormley

109. Embroid. Dress & Sash. Mrs. J. Power

110. Pair of Inlandings. George Houlton

111. Ring of Gold. Henry Lavell

112. Bible. Father O'Brien, Randolph

113. Mirror. Alice McCabe

114. Dozen Shirts. Thos. F. Padula

115. Celery Dish. Mary L. Gavin

116. Pair of Cigars. Patrick Keefe

117. Lamp. Hannah Cahill

118. Ulster Overcoat. Thos. F. Carey

No. 3, Church Table. Miss Margaret Murphy

No. 4, Pic. of our Saviour. Father Kennedy, Boston

90. Lace Curtains. Susan Donahy

91. Smoking Set. Patrick Doherty

92. Lamp. Mrs. C. F. Adams, Jr.

93. Crucifix. Peter Malone

94. Cotton Cloth. John Lynch, Braintree

95. Two Dolls. Nellie Hurley

96. Pair of Cigars. Simon Little

97. Clock. George Cahill, Jr.

98. Hanging Basket. Mary Kilmarin

99. Locket. Katie J. Murphy

100. Motto. Father Francis

101. Comb and Brush Box. Wm. Craig, Milton

No. 4, Sunday School Table. Miss Mary Goodhue

No. 5, Wall Basket. Miss Mary Griffin

3. Wagon Case. John Laughton

14. Box of Handkerchiefs. John Duffy

15. Lamp Mata. Mrs. Mary Brophy

16. Wine Set. Henry Lavell

17. Picture. Sarah Rogers

20. Box of Cigars. Mrs. R. Lucius Canada East

41. Cotton Cloth. Alvina Provot

42. Pair of Cigars. Daniel Sheahan

43. Pair of Cigars. James Mahon

44. Tea Set. Peter Frederic

45. Case of Wax Flowers. Annie Scannell

46. Boy's Suit. J. N. K. Holbrook

47. Gentleman's Suit. Napoleon Langevin

48. Dinner Set. Katie E. Mahoney, Atlantic

49. Pair of Cigars. Edie Gillette

50. Pair of Boots. Mrs. Price

51. Five Dollar Gold Piece. Eugene Sullivan

52. Child's Dress. Annie Connor

53. Album. R. N. Nash

54. Pair of Cigars. Rev. J. T. Gormley

55. Gold Watch. Mary O'Neil

56. Set of Knives and Forks. Father Gormley

57. Caster. John Curhey

58. Gold Ring. Mrs. Douhoue

59. Picture. Rev. J. T. Gormley

60. Bracklet. Mrs. Ryan

61. Marble Top Table. John Deans

62. Pair of Cigars. Timothy Sullivan

63. Child's Sackie. No. 5, Sodality of the Immaculate Conception. Mrs. Bridget Riordan and Mrs. James Dunn:

No. 1, Pair of Lady's Boots. Benjamin Bass

2. Meerschaum Pipe. John McGilvary

3. Handkerchiefs. P. H. Gavin

4. Book Case. Mary Connor

5. Tobacco Pouch. Father Francis

6. Box of Tea. Joseph Kelly

7. Works of Thos. Moore. Francis Kennedy

8. Box of Cigars. Mary Sheehy

9. 20 Yards of Carpet. Wm. A. Hodges

10. Sleeve Buttons. Mary Hurley

11. Pair of Cigars. Louis Raymond

12. Gentleman's Slippers. John Fitzgerald

13. Writing Desk. Rev. T. Barry, Rockport

14. Lace Curtains. David H. White

15. 60. Total Abstinence Table. Mrs. Wm. Webb, Mrs. E. W. Connor, and Mrs. O. Trainor:

No. 1, Barrel of Flour. Mrs. B. Gerry, Atlantic

2. Tins of Coal. Mrs. David Roche

3. Bridal Doll. Mari Blake, Boston

4. Beaded Tidy. Henry Lavell

5. Box of Cigars. Kate Sullivan, Hyde Park

6. Umbrella. J. J. Webb

7. Dress. Katie F. Larkin

8. Pair of Cigars. P. H. Gavin

9. 21 P. Infant's Boots. Martha D. Mahony

10. Dozen Napkins. Mrs. Leary

11. Silver Cake Basket. Kate Gookins, So. Boston

12. Fruit Dish. Fred Mortimer, Atlantic

13. Mat. Mrs. William Howley

14. Tea Set. Rev. J. T. Gormley

15. Pair of Shirts. Father Gormley

16. Set of Knives and Forks. Owen Trainor

17. Watch Case. G. W. Jones

Poetry.

I Didn't Know.

He gave me a knife one day at school,
Four-bladed, the handle of pearl—
And great black words on the wrapper said,
"For the darling little girl."
I was glad! Oh, yes, yet the crimson blood
To my young cheek came and went,
And my heart thumped wondrously pit-a-pat,
But I didn't know what it meant.

One night he said I must jump on his sled,
For the snow was falling fast,
And he half said, but he coaxed and coaxed,
And he got me on at last.
Laughing and chatting in merry glee,
To my home his course he bent,
And my sisters looked at each other and smiled,
But I didn't know what it meant.

Two years passed on, and they touched his eye
With a shadow of deeper blue;
They gave to his form a manlier grace—
To his cheek a swarthy hue.
We stood by the dreamily rippling brook,
When the day was almost spent,
His whiskers were soft as lullabies,
And—now I know what it meant!

Agricultural, &c.

Big Squashes.

Mr. Wait Wadsworth has on exhibition at his store at North Plymouth, four "squashes" of the "Marblehead Mammoth" variety, grown from seed furnished by James J. H. Gregory, of Marblehead, Mass., which for size and productiveness are remarkable. The four were grown on one vine, and weigh collectively 274 pounds, the largest measuring 5 feet, 6 inches in circumference, and weighing 102-1-2 pounds. There were two other squashes on the vine that had not ripened. The vegetables, unlike many which grow to a large size, are said to be fine, and of good flavor. Mr. Wadsworth is a progressive farmer, and is usually among the first to try improved seed of every kind. His farm contains some seven or eight acres, and is in a good state of cultivation, the corn yield being about seventy-five bushels to the acre, and sometimes goes up as high as a hundred. Among the varieties of potatoes grown this year were the "Improved Peachblow," "Eureka," "Superior," and "Centennial," all with good success, and although the potato bug don't stay away from good farms any more than from poor ones, the crop was very satisfactory. Mr. Wadsworth also has a hot house in which several choice varieties of grapes are raised, which would make a display no farmer need be ashamed of.—*Marblehead.*

Poison. Mr. J. G. Graves, a well-to-do farmer in Scituate, had a fine yoke of oxen, which he turned loose in his potato field this fall, after having harvested his potatoes. In a few days the oxen showed signs of disease, and on consulting a surgeon, Mr. Graves was informed that the cattle were poisoned. One of them has since died. It is thought that they had been poisoned by Paris green which had been used on the vines.

Plant young fruit trees this fall to take the place of those which are sick and may die. A sick tree is better dead. It does not pay to doctor it.

M. S. Stedon, of South Abington, raised 225 bushels of sound, ripe corn, last season, on two acres of ground.

Arrangements have been perfected for the holding of a National Dairy Exhibition at Chicago, on the 18th, 19th and 20th of December. Prizes amounting to two thousand dollars will be distributed. Western producers are anxious for an outlet to Europe through the port of Boston.

Anecdotes.

"You have played the duncie with my heart," said a gentleman to a lady partner in a game of whist.

"Well replied the lady, with an arch smile, "It was because you played the knave."

A pettish old man was annoyed by an old woman sitting near him who had a very bad cough. He turned to her and said, "That is a very bad cough of yours, madam."

"I know it, sir," said she; "but it is the best I've got."

Considerate Mistress (on coming home from the seaside).—Why, Jane, what's become of the birdie?

Jane.—Well, you see, m'm, it didn't say much, and looked drooping, like, so I took it out of its misery, and I fed it stuffed for my fat."

When the substantial of the dinner had been disposed of by her visitors, Mrs. Clementine Fidelity Dobbis said to her hired girl, "Now Betty, you may bring on the Sahara."

"Mum?"

"The dessert, stupid!"

"Yis, mum."

As Betty descended towards the kitchen she might have been heard to say, "Oh, mum, I see the style of her now, with all her fine French words. Faith, I've a mind to give her a taste of my Irish!"—*Virginia Enterprise.*

"Do you know where I can get room to store a load of salt?" asked a countryman of a Boston clerk.

"Perhaps my father can accommodate you," was the reply; "he has plenty of salt-horse on his hands."

A witness, on entering the box, had a testimony presented to him, but he declined to swear. Being asked his reasons for refusing, he naively replied: "I'll tell all the wits' any man in England, but I'll not swear to it."

Mamma.—You're a very naughty boy, Tommy, and I shall have to buy a whip and give you a good whacking. Now, will you be good?"

Tommy (with hesitation).—Will the whip be mine, after mamma?"

"How many children have you?" asked one friend of an old acquaintance.

"Well, I had five, but they were eating cumberbuns when I left, and they may be doubled up now."

Conundrums.

Why is the letter Y like a young lady?

Because it makes a pay.

Why is a good conundrum like a good lawyer's speech or a poor man's epitaph? Because it is always right.

What fowl is most like a carriage in the Chinese Empire? Coochin-China.

Why is a vessel bound to a certain port in France like a fellow clogging with his lady-love? Because it is bound to Havre.

Why is chloroform like Mendelssohn? Because it is one of the great composers of modern times.

When were there only two vowels? In the days of Noah (no) before you and I were born.

Recreation, not Procreation.

Did any excellent human being ever become strong under the operation of powerful catenations or seductions? It is sometimes necessary to regulate the bowels, but that cannot be done by active purgation, which exhausts the vital force and serves no good purpose whatever. The only true way to promote health and vigor, which are essential to regularity of the organic functions, is to invigorate, discipline and purify the system at the same time. The extraordinary energy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters in cases of debility or irregularity of the organs of digestion, assimilation, secretion, and excretion, is universally admitted. Appetite, good digestion, regular habit of body, and the free circulation of the blood, and purity of all the animal fluids are induced by this powerful and corrective. It has no fever, and no other types of malarial disease. To combat and eradicate it is particularly serviceable as a medicinal safeguard.

Trees! Trees!!

As the season is now at hand to plant all kinds of trees, I wish to inform my friends and patrons, and the public in general, that I have on hand

ALL KINDS OF Fruit & Ornamental Trees.

Also—A Variety of SHRUBBERIES. Also—A Variety of GRAPE VINES. From one to three years old. Currants and Gooseberries. At my Nursery near the National Soldiers' Home. All orders promptly attended to. MARTIN PFAFFMAN, Quincy, Oct. 6.

Patent Safety Lamp

—AND—
SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWENTY HUNDRED and FIFTY lives and over FIFTY THOUSAND dollars' worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by using the lamp while burning, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

THIS ENTIRE SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND PROPERTY CAN POSITIVELY BE PREVENTED BY THE USE OF THE

Patent Safety Lamps

—AND—
SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled with light! Cannot explode if overturned! Blowing and the light, unnecessary! Entirely guided as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY

W. W. EWELL & CO.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

REMOVAL.

The Quincy Dye-House

—AND—

STEAM LAUNDRY.

Has been removed to the Store formerly occupied by KATHARINE SPREAR, on Washington Street.

WHERE the subscriber is prepared to do all kinds of

DYEING.

in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and at the lowest prices.

CLEANING OF ALL KINDS, done at short notice.

We are better prepared than ever to do

LAUNDRYING

in all its branches.

in the highest style of art, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit a liberal patronage.

ORDER BOX at E. B. Souther's, at the Depot, and at Washington St. Quincy, Oct. 6.

C. W. GEORGE, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

JOHN H. VEAZIE

HAS REMOVED HIS APOTHECARY STORE from the building of E. B. Souther, to the building of E. B. Souther, on Washington St.

Store directly Opposite.

formerly occupied by Tremor & Molloy.

AMERICAN

BREAKFAST CEREALS

White Wheat, Oat Meal, Barley Food, Maize Meal.

For sale by J. H. VEAZIE, Proprietor, 100 Washington St., Quincy, Oct. 6.

The Cereals Manufacturing Co.,

IS COLLEGE PLACE, N. Y.

Administrator's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been appointed Administrator of the estate of E. B. SOUDER, deceased.

Intestate, Joseph H. Vogel, the executor of the will of said deceased, has been appointed Administrator of the second estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the third estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the fourth estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the fifth estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the sixth estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the seventh estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the eighth estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the ninth estate of his administration upon the estate of said deceased, and has been appointed Administrator of the 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May 12th, 1873.
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The Quincy Patriot. SUPPLEMENT. SATURDAY, NOV. 24, 1877.

ALMOST COMPLETED. Stewart's work-
ingwomen's hotel is to be opened New
Year's Day, with a reception. There are
502 private rooms in it. The main din-
ing-room has a capacity for 600 persons,
and the hotel has accommodations for a
thousand guests.
The bill of fare will be marked down
to cost price. The building has a large
library and reading rooms. The estab-
lishment cost \$2,000,000. Under no cir-
cumstances will more than \$5 per week
be charged, and it is expected to open at
a lower rate. Any woman of good char-
acter will be accepted as a guest, and the
superintendents are all women. It is not
a charitable institution in any sense.

THE VANDERBILT WILL. The re-
opening of the probate of the will of the
late Commodore Vanderbilt discloses
testimony of the strongest character, and
goes to show that a man may have the
capacity to accumulate a fortune of a
hundred million dollars and yet be in-
capacitated for devising it properly among
his heirs. The evidence is that Mr.
Vanderbilt was the victim of more than
one hallucination, and that he was a
sufferer from illnesses which may easily
be believed to have seriously affected
his mind. He left two sons and eight
daughters, and of his immense fortune
he bequeathed ninety-five hundredths
to one son and the remaining five-hun-
dredths to the other nine children. It
is one of his daughters and the other
son who join in contesting the will. The
case is now on in the New York courts,
with the most distinguished counsel on
both sides, and the testimony attracts
universal attention. It at least turns
family secrets out into the street, and
shows once more that family quarrels
over money are the most destructive of
all.

Gov. Van Zandt's (of Rhode
Island) Thanksgiving proclamation is
one of the shortest and best on record:
"I appoint Thursday, the 29th inst., as
Thanksgiving day, and request the peo-
ple of this State to assemble in their
houses for public worship and return
thanks to God for his tender mercies and
loving kindness; and may those who are
blessed with abundance give liberally to
the poor."

Holland has not had a bank fail-
ure in forty years; an insurance company
in that country has never failed, and al-
though the rate of insurance is only one
half per cent., their yearly dividends are
sixteen per cent.; first-class railroad fare
is one cent per mile, yet the railroads are
paying institutions.

The recent passage of the Cunard
steamer *Russia* from Liverpool to New
York was a terribly stormy one, and
lasted fourteen days. Bad weather was
first encountered 100 miles from Liver-
pool. On the seventh day out the vessel
narrowly escaped foundering, and the
wind blew so fiercely that the passen-
gers dared not venture from their cabins
and officers and seamen could not leave
the shelter of the deck houses. So se-
vere was the storm that for several hours
the vessel only made two miles an hour,
and both passengers and crew expected
to go to the bottom.

Mr. Geo. T. Angell well known
from his connection as founder and
President of the Society for the Protection
of Dumb Animals, in a letter from
Northfield, speaks of certain mills at
North Adams, which grinds white stone
into three grades of powder,—soda grade,
flour grade and sugar grade. "I was
told," says Mr. Angell, "that they had
already ground probably thousands of
tons. The powder which resembles
flour, sells for half a cent a pound." Gro-
cers should be careful not to buy of
wholesale dealers, who have ever been
detected in selling sugar thus adulter-
ated.

A man in Sprague, Conn., during
the last summer noticed bees going from
the eaves of his house and returning
loaded with honey. Last week he took
a few clapboards from the house and se-
cured seventy-five pounds of honey in
the comb.

A man in Winsted, Conn., hunt-
ing recently, saw a gray squirrel high on
the limb of a tree. As he was about to
fire a hawk pounced upon the squirrel
and was bearing it away, when the man
took a second aim, and brought them
both down.

BROCKTON. A handsome silver medal
has been manufactured, and is now be-
ing appropriately engraved, for presenta-
tion to Protector Engine Company, No.
3, which was victorious in the recent
contest between that company and the
Butcher Boys of South Braintree. It is
understood that the medal is paid for
jointly by the two companies.

The fourteenth annual report of
the directors of the Old Colony Railroad
states that the net earnings for the year,
after paying interest and taxes, were
\$407,485.37, an increase of \$650.48 over
that of the year before.

**Congress will be asked to appro-
priate \$125,000 for the erection in Wash-
ington of a National Museum, to contain
the valuable gifts from foreign powers
which were exhibited at the Centennial
Exhibition.**

**The latest design for a funeral
piece** is a ship, with black crape sails.
The hull of the craft is made of white
rosebuds, its masts are of Faust pansies,
the main one being surmounted by a
white dove with a spray of forget-me-
nots in his beak.

**We have at last an explanation of
the icy nature of the statesman of Quincy.**
When he was a boy, so he told the
guests at the Latin School dinner, his
parents took him on a trip to St. Peters-
burg. When he returned his mental
thermometer registered three degrees be-
low zero.—*Boston Globe.*

One Springfield (Mass.) family,
who counted the flies caught in their re-
volving trap during the summer found
they had 22 quarts, and it wasn't much
of a summer for flies either.

Mrs. Mary Libby of Auburn is
eighty-five years of age, and has lost
one of her hands. She does all the work
for herself and a blind son, and this
summer cultivated a garden in which
she has raised besides other articles,
three bushels of beans, all of which she
shelled with her one hand.

A singular circumstance happened
at Bridgeport recently, when a young
lady residing in one half of a house died
at the very moment during which the re-
mains of a young lady, who had died in
the other half, were being removed for
burial, and the piece of crape on one
door was removed and placed on the
other.

The Secretary of the Treasury has
issued an order to the Collector of the
Port of Boston, as also to other revenue
officers elsewhere, forbidding the impor-
tations of cattle and the hides of cattle
after December 1st, unless accompanied
by Consular certificates of non-infection.

**The missionaries report terrible
results** upon the island of Madagascar
from the use of rum, brought into the
country at a low rate of duty by French
and American influence.

**A Congregational church in West
Springfield** calls and sustains a pastor
who does not believe in eternal punish-
ment. Of the council called six voted
for and fourteen against him.

Over 150 persons united with the
Methodist church at Middleboro' on a
recent Sunday, as a result of the revival
in that town last spring. Nearly fifty
have previously joined the Baptist
church, and there have also been consid-
erable accessions to the Congregational
church.

**In a consistory to be held about
Christmas** the Pope will create five or
six new cardinals to fill the gap in the
Sacred College, which, though full only
a few months ago, has now been reduced
to sixty-three members.

Senator Conkling paid \$10 for a
cup of coffee at Utica on election day,
as a tribute of respect to the work on
that occasion of the Woman's Temper-
ance Union.

**NORFOLK MUTUAL
Fire Insurance Company,
OF DEDHAM, MASS.**
INCORPORATED IN 1825.

Cash Assets, January 1, 1877. . . \$255,977.01
Premium Notes, . . . 509,636.62
Total Available Assets, . . . \$765,613.63
Amount at Risk, . . . 15,162,217.00

**This Company insures Buildings and
Household Furniture only, STRICTLY ON THE
MUTUAL PLAN, and has SEVEN paid less than 50
per cent. dividend on every five year policy that
has expired since its incorporation.**

**IRA CLEVELAND, Pres't and Treas'r.
PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.
HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.**
Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

Summary of News.

Over three and a quarter millions of
bushels of peanuts have been harvested
in this country in the last four years.

The wheat crops this year promise to
be the largest ever produced in the United
States.

A furnace at Lebanon, Pa., made forty-
one tons of pig iron in twenty-four
hours.

Some of Mr. Sampson's Chinamen
workmen returning from North Adams
to China take \$500 and \$600 with them
as accumulated savings.

A California man was recently choked to
death with a piece of beefsteak. It is
not mete or befitting to eat too fast.

A six story tenement house in Mott
street, New York, contains ninety-nine
families, numbering in all 500 persons.

The Widow Van Cott declares that to
save one soul in Athol, Mass., requires
labor enough to save a hundred in any
place in which she has ever had any ex-
perience.

Providence introduces the electric sys-
tem for lighting the street lamps at an
annual saving of \$25,000.

The Emperor William is to have a
golden wedding next spring, and very
great festivities are expected in Berlin.
Many potentates are to attend it, and it
is even hoped that Queen Victoria will
appear.

On the day the President went to Rich-
mond a resident of Petersburg, Va.,
discharged for the first time a pistol he
loaded in 1862 as a means of defence
against the Union troops.

A woman in San Francisco who was
deserted by her husband in New York
State 33 years ago, has lately begun an
action for divorce from him.

A New York girl recently eloped with
a man by the name of Gander. She
was a goose!

A family near Slaughterville, Ky., has
been driven from home by rattlesnakes,
which have taken up their quarters un-
der the house. The neighbors had rallied,
and at last reports had killed twenty-
seven, and were still on guard.

Scarlet Fever, Small Pox, Diphtheria, Measles, &c.

Office of the Board of Health.
QUINCY, FEB. 1, 1877.

THE Board of Health issues the following
notice:—That on and after MONDAY,
February 5th, 1877, the following provisions of
Chapter 26 of the General Statutes will be
strictly enforced:

Sec. 47. When a householder knows that a
person within his family is taken sick of . . .
any . . . disease dangerous to the public
health, he shall immediately give notice thereof
to the . . . board of health of the town in
which he dwells. If he refuses or neglects to
give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not
exceeding \$100.

Sec. 48. When a physician knows that any
person whom he is called to visit is infected
with . . . any disease dangerous to the public
health, he shall immediately give notice thereof
to the . . . board of health of the town;
and if he refuses or neglects to give such
notice, he shall forfeit for each offence a sum
not less than \$50, nor more than \$100.

The Board considers the above sections to
apply to scarlet fever, small-pox, diphtheria,
measles, and whooping cough.
**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Board
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Health.
Quincy, March 10. tf**

State Aid.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office in
the Town House, on the last MONDAY in
each month, from 9 to 11 o'clock, A. M., for the
purpose of paying State Aid to those Volun-
teers or their families, who are entitled to it un-
der the provisions of the law of 1867.

**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10. tf**

\$500 REWARD.

A REWARD of \$500 will be paid to any
person who will give information sufficient
to convict the person who set fire to the
Almshouse barn on Saturday night, March 11th.

A like amount will be paid to any one who
will give information sufficient to convict any
person or persons who have set fire to any build-
ing of the value of one hundred dollars, in the
town of Quincy, since March 11th, 1876, or who
may set fire to any building of not less value,
between this time and March 1st, 1878.

**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10, 1876. tf**

\$15.00 Reward!

WHEREAS, a large number of the Street
Lamps have been wantonly and mali-
ciously broken in this town, the undersigned
offer the above reward to any person who will
furnish evidence sufficient to convict the person
guilty of said offence.

Also—For breaking Glass in windows of
buildings belonging to the town.
**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10, 1876. tf**

Selectmen's Meetings.

THE Selectmen will meet at their Office, in
the Town House, every SATURDAY, from
11-2 to 1-2 o'clock, P. M., until further notice.
Persons having business with the Town will
please present it on those days.

**WILLIAM A. HODGES, } Selectmen
ENSIGN S. FELLOWS, } of
JOHN CHAMBERLIN, } Quincy.
Quincy, March 10. tf**

**MARY K. GALE, M. D.,
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
Wollaston Heights.**

OFFICE:—WOLLASTON HOTEL.
Office Hours—7 to 9 A. M., 4 to 6 P. M.
Quincy, March 3. ly

**L. F. BUTLER, M. D.
HOMOEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN,
GRANITE STREET (Cor. Hancock St.)
QUINCY.**

REFERENCES:—Prof. J. H. Woodbury, M. D.;
Prof. David Thayer, M. D.; Prof. I. T. Tal-
bot, M. D.
OFFICE HOURS:—8 1-2 to 10 A. M.; 1 1-2 to
3 o'clock, P. M.
Quincy, March 31. 6m

**JOS. UNDERWOOD, M. D.,
Homoeopathic Physician,
RESIDENCE NEAR THE NEW ADAMS ACADEMY,
HANCOCK STREET, QUINCY.
Aug. 25. tf**

**J. A. GORDON, M. D.,
HANCOCK STREET,
OFFICE HOURS:—From 2 to 3 and from 7 to
9 o'clock, P. M.
Quincy, May 24. tf**

**FRANCIS W. PARKER,
Superintendent of Schools.
OFFICE HOURS.
Mondays and Saturdays,
From 8 to 12 A. M.
In Office of HON. JOHN Q. ADAMS.
Quincy, May 8. tf**

**J. W. SMALL, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon,
Hancock St., near National Granite Bank,
QUINCY.
Chronic Diseases a Specialty.
Nov. 6. tf**

A Card to the Public.

I NOW give notice that I will attend those
who may wish the services of a
MALE NURSE OR WATCHER FOR THE SICK.
I flatter myself that by my experience in that
work, I will be able to give entire satisfaction to
those that may need my services.
Those who may stand in need of my help,
will find me at my residence on Phipps street,
head of Pearl street.
**SAMUEL WALES.
Quincy, Sept. 29. tf**

**H. FRENCH, JR.,
House and Sign Painter,
IN EVERY VARIETY.
Washington Street, Quincy.
Feb. 10. tf**

**IRA LITCHFIELD,
Carpenter and Builder,
PEARL STREET,
SOUTH QUINCY.
Feb. 14. tf**

FRUIT JARS.

**Mason's Fruit Jars,
The Best Jars for Canning Fruit
in use.
For sale by THOMAS E. FURNALD.
Quincy, July 14. tf**

A CARD.

MR. OWEN TREANOR, (of the late firm
of Treanor & McRae,) would announce
to his friends and the public that he may be
found at the Clothing Establishment of F. A.
Spear, on Hancock street, where he would be
pleased to have them call and see him.
Quincy, Aug. 18. tf

SALEM LEAD COMPANY.

Warranted PURE WHITE LEAD.—Well
known throughout New England as the "WHITEST,"
FINEST, and BEST.
LEAD TAPE, 5-8 in. wide, on reels, for Cur-
tal Sticks.
LEAD RIBBON, from 2 1-2 to 8 inches wide,
on reels for Builders.
LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness.
At lowest market prices for goods of equal quality.
FRANCIS BROWN, Treasurer, Salem, Mass.
Feb. 10. ly

CHEAP!

**Ladies' Merino Undervests
and Pants,
At the Very Lowest Prices.
Twenty Dozen just received from Auction,
By E. CLAPP,
Quincy, Oct. 20.**

JOB PRINTING.

EVERY VARIETY OF PRINTING neatly
and promptly, and accurately executed, at the
very lowest cash prices, at the
PATRIOT OFFICE.

GREAT SALE OF Nottingham and French Cluny LACE CURTAINS.

**100 new and elegant styles from \$1.50
per window upwards. Every price has
been reduced from 40 to 50 per cent.**

**We call special attention to two beau-
tiful designs, at \$3.25, formerly \$5.50.**

**We have a few pairs left of our great
sale of REAL Lace Curtains, to be closed
out at one-half their value. Prices, from
\$6.00 per window upwards.**

**WHITNEY, WARNER & CO.,
143 Tremont Street,
BOSTON.
Nov. 3. 4w**

NEW Photograph Studio.

**Mr. A. Frank Bussell,
(Successor and for the past year with Messrs.
French & Bass, Photographic Artists.)
HAS opened a NEW and FIRST-CLASS
PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO in the NEW
BUILDING lately erected by Dr. French, lo-
cated on
Chestnut Street, opposite Congregational Church,
and would invite his old patrons and citizens
generally to call and inspect his new and beau-
tiful rooms.
Quincy, Sept. 15. tf**

LUMBER.

The undersigned having leased

CANAL WHARF,

(Opposite the Polishing Works.)

**ARE receiving and shall continue to receive
a Full Assortment of LUMBER and**

Building Materials,

Consisting in part of

SPRUCE FRAMES.

DIMENSION

Pine, Spruce,

and Hemlock

Covering Boards.

Sheathing, Shelving and Base.

Pine, Spruce,

and Hard Pine

FLOORING.

Matched Roofing Boards,

Clapboards,

Shingles,

Laths,

Pickets.

Lime, Cement, Plaster,

HAIR, &c., &c.

— ALSO —

Gutters, Conductors,

and Mouldings.

All of which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

On Wharf, or delivered promptly to order.

LAKIN & CO.

Quincy, June 3, 1876.

CARD.

**THE undersigned, formerly of W. F. LA-
KIN & CO., now of LAKIN & CO., would
respectfully announce to the citizens of Quincy
and vicinity, that he may be found as above,
where he will be happy to see all of his old
friends and the public generally.
Very thankful for your previous patronage,
would respectfully ask a continuance of the
same. Respectfully yours,
Quincy, June 3. W. F. LAKIN.
tf**

Autumn in California.

Indian Summer is unknown in California. The gorgeous hues of the forests that mark the autumnal season of New England, and the crimson and gold tints which make the scenery there one of indescribable beauty, are not to be seen in this State. As I write to-day, I should never know that we were approaching the end of the year, the period of the sere and yellow leaf, so long the theme of the poet's pen and the subject of the painter's brush. The climate of California is divided into what are called the wet and dry seasons, and the approach of either is not marked by any precursors or warnings. We are now entering upon the wet season, which will last until next April or May. The heaviest rains generally fall in December or January. It is only in the mountain regions that the snows of winter are found. But even there the garb of the forest does not undergo the autumnal changes of the East. Outside of the snow lines, and during the rainfall period, the trees wear their brightest livery of green, and the hills and valleys are clad in the softest of verdure and bedecked with flowers of every hue. It is a singular fact that none of the native trees of California wear any dying leaves. There is a slight change in the foliage of some trees, some growing brighter and others dimmer in color. The evergreens are shedding their leaves the year round, while the deciduous trees change their habiliments with a suddenness that you are not able to detect. During the autumnal period in California the stars shine brighter in the sky, the wind is boisterous at times, and there is a crisp to the air very often suggestive of overcoats. Still nature is then entering upon her most joyous mood, and the farmer is getting ready for the planting of his crops. Only think of their now gathering all kinds of fruits and vegetables, and will continue to do so for months to come, while you at the East are frozen up. The dry season is one when the crops fully mature, and the immense fields of grain are harvested. No rains fall, the earth becomes parched and baked, except such arable land as is irrigated. But although the soil is seared and sun-cracked, vegetation is preserved, containing as it does such elements of fertility. There is a striking contrast between the climate of the Pacific and Atlantic coasts.—A writer to the Boston Journal.

Fragments of Lives.

These "fragments" of lives, how they strew our daily path on every side? Not a house do we enter, not a company do we mix with, but we more than guess—we know—that these our friends men and women who go about the world doing their work, and taking their pleasure therein, all carry about them a secret burden of bitter disappointments, unfulfilled ambitions, lost loves. Probably every one of them, when his or her smiling face vanishes from the circle, will change it into another,—serious, anxious, sad,—happy if it be only sad, with no mingling of either bitterness or badness. That complete felicity which the young believe in, and expect almost as a matter of certainty to come, never does come. Soon or late, we have to make up our minds to do without it, to take up the fragments of our blessings, thankful that we have what we have and are what we are; above all, that we have our own burdens to bear, and not our neighbor's. But, whatever it is, we must bear it alone; and this gathering up the fragments, which I am so earnestly advising, is also a thing which must be done alone.

Kindness in Little Things.

The sunshine of life is made up of very little beams, that are bright all the time. At home, on the street, in our business, there is room all the time for little acts of kindness that cost nothing, but are worth more than gold or silver. To give up something, where giving up will prevent unhappiness; to yield, when persisting will chafe and fret others; to go a little round, rather than come against another; to take an ill word or a cross look, rather than resent or return it—these are the ways in which clouds and storms are kept off, and a pleasant smiling sunshine secured even in the humble home, among poor people, as in families in better circumstances. Much that we term the miseries of life would be avoided by adopting this rule of conduct.

A Puzzled Monkey.

The St. Louis Republican thus pleasantly describes an incident of the fair: "Yesterday was a good day for the monkeys at the fair grounds and they liked it. They frisked about in the sunshine, and cut their merry antics with an abandon that showed them to be bubbling over with the spirit of fun and mischief. There is one of the number that by some amusing peculiarities of disposition and manner becomes an immediate favorite with every spectator, and attracts more attention than any other. A gentleman who was among the crowd yesterday that generally surrounds the monkey-house when the grounds are open, happened to have a small pocket-mirror in his hands, and just for sport passed it in through the grating to the favorite. The monkey's behavior on seeing his face reflected in the glass was amusing in the extreme, and kept the crowd in a roar of laughter for nearly an hour. The monkey, of course, failed to recognize the reflection of himself in the glass, and took it for another monkey, and his anxiety to get hold of that monkey was what made the fun. He would look behind the glass for it, and feel for it in such a comical way while he was looking in the glass that one could not help laughing. While the glass was close to his eye he gradually bent over, casually, and noticing that the evanescent monkey was then on his back apparently, he dropped the glass and made a grab for him. When he didn't get him he looked surprised, and commenced looking under the straw to see what had become of him. He was then seized with a luminous idea. He picked up the glass and ran with it up to the topmost branch of the dead tree that is erected in the cage, and climbing to the extreme end again looked in the glass. It seemed as if he reasoned that in such a position the monkey could not elude him. He felt for it, grabbed at it, and tried all sorts of similar strategy to capture it, and notwithstanding his repeated failures seemed loth to give it up."

Working and Waiting.

You are tender-hearted, and you want to be true, and are trying to be, learn these two things: Never to be discouraged because good things get on so slowly here; and never to fail daily to do that good which lies next to your hand. Do not be in a hurry, but be diligent. Enter into the sublime patience of the Lord. Be charitable in view of it. God can afford to wait; why cannot we, since we have Him to fall back upon? Let patience have her perfect work, and bring forth her celestial fruits. Trust to God to weave your little thread into the great web, though the pattern shows it not yet. When God's people are able and willing thus to labor and wait, remembering that one day is with the Lord as a thousand years, and a thousand years as one day, the grand harvest of the ages shall come to its reaping, and the day shall broaden itself to a thousand years, and the thousand years shall show themselves as a perfect and finished day!

A Miser Mated.

A noted miser who felt obliged to make a present to a lady entered a crockery store for the purpose of making a purchase. Seeing a statuette broken into a dozen pieces, he asked the price. The salesman said it was worthless, but he could have it for the cost of packing in a box. He sent it to the lady with his card, congratulating himself that she would imagine that it had been ruined while on its way home. He dropped in to see the effect. The tradesman had carefully wrapped each piece in a separate bit of paper.

STOVES!

The Best Stove in the Market!!

G. W. WALKER'S FRANCONIA

Double Oven Range,

Warranted to BAKE IN BOTH OVENS AT THE SAME TIME, and FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT.

Also,—Sole Agents in Quincy for the celebrated

Stewart Parlor Stoves.

Also,—Repair pieces.

E. S. FELLOWS.

Quincy, Oct. 13.

BARSTOW'S
Empress Range.

Don't be put off with anything else. Prices reduced. If your Stove-dealer has none, order of

Barstow Stove Company,

56 Union Street, Boston.

Nov. 3.

She Didn't.

At 10 o'clock yesterday forenoon a young man with very white eyes, and a girl of eighteen, with very long curls, stood together on the City Hall tower to gaze upon the beautiful panorama below. In a minute or two the girl began to feel giddy, and as the sensation increased, she cried out:

"Oh! Will! I'm going to faint away!"

"What's up?" he shouted, as he put an arm around her.

"Oh! I'm so—so—I'm so!" she gasped, as she began settling down.

"Here, now! don't you do it!" he bluntly exclaimed, as he held her up.

"I love you like all Jewhittaker, and you know it, but I couldn't pick you up and carry you down them winding stairs if I was engaged to the whole family! Brace up now! If you faint, I'll run!"

She didn't faint, but it was necessary for him to keep his arm around her for the next fifteen minutes.—Detroit Free Press.

How Wire is Made.

It is not generally known that wire is drawn cold and not hot. The raw material for the manufacture of wire is received in coils of half-inch iron or steel, or smaller, if desired, rarely less than one-fourth inch. These coils are placed in an acid bath, and taken from that are immediately given a shower of lime water; the ends of the rods or coils are then placed in a forge and drawn down until they are small enough to enter the first die, but previous to drawing the coils are placed in two ovens successively, and a drying room, as also in an open furnace, to properly receive the requisite temper, that when the drawing or reducing process begins there will be no imperfections.

The end that has been previously drawn out at a forge is now entered into the hole of the first die, and drawn through the die, around a cast-iron cylinder, making it something less than one-fourth of an inch in diameter. By the time it has passed through three sets of hands, it has been drawn from half an inch down to the size of that necessary for furniture springs. Following the course of the wire, we see it continually being passed from one set of dies to another still smaller, each reducing its size until it has reached the last one in this set of hands, and is now but the size of a small knitting-needle. From here it is taken into another room containing still smaller apparatus for this work, and is made into still smaller sizes, such as is used for stove-pipe, broom-making and other purposes. Wire is drawn so fine that it would take 20, 30 and even 40 strands to equal the thickness of an ordinary pin.

Attention Smokers!

YOU CAN FIND

A GOOD ASSORTMENT

OF

Chewing and Smoking

TOBACCO,

—AND—

IMPORTED, KEY WEST AND DOMESTIC

CIGARS,

—ALSO—

A Fine Lot of Pipes,

At G. F. WILSON'S.

Quincy, Oct. 13.

WHITMAN & BRECK,
Civil Engineers & Surveyors

CORNER OF
DEVONSHIRE & WATER STREETS,
BOSTON.
Entrance 85 Devonshire and 16 Water Streets.)

Particular attention paid to Land Surveying, laying out private grounds, and the general improvement of Real Estate. Plans and working drawings of public and private buildings carefully prepared.
H. T. WHITMAN, C. E. C. BRECK.
Dec. 14. April 15

J. E. STARBUCK,

CIVIL ENGINEER AND

SURVEYOR,

Corner of Hancock and Granite Streets,
QUINCY.

SURVEYING IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

including the

Laying out of Public and Private Grounds,

The Furnishing of Estimates of all kinds of

Grading,

The Measurement of Mechanics' Work, &c.,

DONE PROMPTLY and at MOD-

ERATE CHARGES.

Quincy, June 17.

Best and Cheapest CLOTHING.

Before making selections for Winter, we would ask you to ascertain prices in the Custom Room of Oak Hall, Boston, and at the same time inspect the stock of Ready-made Clothing, embracing Suits from \$8.00 upwards, made from very durable and stylish materials.

Particular attention is called to our lines of Boys Winter School Suits, especially to the new and original design of Overcoat—which is exclusively our own, and is made and sold only at OAK HALL. It is called the

MELIKOFF,

The Russian Infantry OVERCOAT, in miniature sizes for

Little Boys.

This will be the most stylish Fall and Winter Overcoat for Children we shall offer this Season. The name is protected.

The design is our own.

The military character is relieved by being made from Special Styles of Goods adapted to Boys. Send age and height with order.

The best and cheapest Boys' Clothing in the country can be bought at Oak Hall.

SUIT and OVERCOAT complete is furnished at \$5, \$6, \$8, \$10, and \$12.

For the Shooting Season examine the

"Boston Shooting Suit,"

Made only at OAK HALL, and known throughout the United States as the best Sportsman's Outfit. Send for Circular.

The best Winter Overcoat for Gentlemen, OAK HALL, is a water-proof, milder, OAK HALL, proof and moth-proof. It is only at Oak Hall. It will be the standard winter coat and will sell for \$13.

G. W. SIMMONS & SON,
32 to 44 NORTH ST., BOSTON.

OPENED THIS DAY,
A FULL LINE OF
FALL AND WINTER GOODS,
AT PRICES THAT
Defy Competition!!

Extra Inducements To Cash Buyers!!

FRANK A. SPEAR'S,
86 Hancock Street.
Quincy, Oct. 6.

DONALD G. McRAE,
MERCHANT TAILOR.

RESPECTFULLY announces that he has taken a Store in the building recently erected by Dr. French, on

Chestnut Street,
where he will keep constantly on hand a Select and Desirable Assortment of

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings,

which he will manufacture to order into Garments, in the Highest Style of the Art, and at the Lowest Living Rates.

He takes this opportunity to thank the citizens of Quincy and vicinity for their former generous patronage, and will endeavor to merit a continuance of the same.

Quincy, Sept. 29.

JOHN A. HOLDEN

MERCHANT TAILOR,

AND DEALER IN

Cloths, Cassimeres, Doeskins,

AND VESTINGS.

HANCOCK STREET, COR. SCHOOL STREET,
QUINCY.

HAS on hand and is constantly receiving from the best sources, new and desirable Goods adapted to his trade. All who wish FIRST-CLASS CUSTOM-MADE GARMENTS, for a fair price, are respectfully invited to call.

N. B. It would be well to remember, that Cheapness and Dearness are relative attributes; they have a relation to the QUALITY of the article we buy, and that, which does not answer well the purpose for which it was intended, is DEAR at any price.

Quincy, March 30.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

D. B. STETSON

HAS RECEIVED THE

RUBBER GOODS,

For the FALL and WINTER WEAR,

—SUCH AS—

Men's Pure Gum Boots,
Men's Woonsocket Rubber Boots,
Ladies', Misses', and Children's Boots,

OF EVERY DISCRPTION,

—AND AT—

SUCH LOW PRICES
As to Defy Competition!!

Some Old Lots of Boots and Shoes to be sold at less than cost.

D. B. STETSON,
Quincy, Oct. 20.

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company.
CASH FUND, November 1, 1877.
\$365,000.00.
Surplus over Re-Insurance, over **\$160,000.00.**

50 per cent. dividend paid on all expiring 5-year policies, 30 per cent. on 3 years, and 20 per cent. on all others.

This Company has been in operation over 26 years, has paid over \$1,300,000 in losses (426,868.25 of which was at the "Boston fire" of Nov. 1872) and over \$500,000 in dividends to policy-holders.

None but the safer classes of risks taken.
I. W. MUNROE, Pres. and Treas.
CHARLES A. HOWLAND, Sec'y.
Quincy, Nov. 1, 1877.

DEDHAM MUTUAL Fire Insurance Company,
DEDHAM, MASS.
Incorporated 1837.

INSURES STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN. The company has a larger ratio of Assets, to amount at risk, than any other Company doing a Mutual business, in the State. It is paying 31-1-3 per cent. dividend on all expiring One and Two Years' Policies, and 20 per cent. on all others.

GEO. B. FAUNCE, President,
PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.
DIRECTORS: Ira Cleveland, Hon. Waldo Colburn, E. N. Taft, L. H. Kingsbury, Dedham; Wm. Mansfield, Canton; E. J. Bishop, Dorchester; George B. Faunce, Boston Highlands.
HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent,
Quincy, Sept. 22.

JOHN HARDWICK & CO.
Real Estate & Insurance
AGENTS.
Granite Street, Quincy.
Insurance secured in any reliable Office.
Quincy, Feb. 10.

Insurance Agency,
Established in Quincy in 1849

BY

W. PORTER.

INSURANCE EFFECTED in reliable and safe STOCK and MUTUAL OFFICES—by

W. PORTER & CO.,

At No. 27 STATE STREET, BOSTON.
Residence, QUINCY, corner Adams and Hancock Streets.
Quincy, April 25.

CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COM'Y,
OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON.)

IS NOW PAYING

A Dividend of 80 per cent. on seven year Policies, 60 per cent. on 5, and 50 per cent. on all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Bams and contents, on the most favorable terms.

Cash Assets, Jan. 1, 1877, - - - \$260,333.23

Deposit Notes, in force, - - - 309,058.52

Total, - - - - - \$569,393.75

Liabilities,—Unsettled claims for losses, - - - \$3,840.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President.

J. W. PEABODY, Sec. and Treas.

Boston Office—No. 42 Congress Street.

JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.

Quincy, Aug. 29.

DORCHESTER.

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. O. NEPONSET, Mass.

Ward 16, Boston, Mass.

E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.

Amount Insured by 6,834 Policies, - - - \$11,192,964.00

On Real Estate, - - - - - 9,298,267.00

On Personal, - - - - - 1,894,297.00

Cash Assets.

Real Estate (Brick and Stone Building), - - - \$24,000.00

Loaned on Mortgages, - - - 23,500.00

Corporation Note—Boston and Lowell R. R. 5,000.00

National Bank Stock, - - - 14,536.00

Rail Road Stock, - - - 42,539.00

U. S. 5-20 Bonds, - - - 20,844.00

Policies in Course of Collection, - - - 11,912.26

Deposit Notes, Uncollected, - - - 500.00

Interest Due and earned to date, - - - 1,350.50

Cash on Deposit N. E. Trust Co., - - - 26,466.19

do. in Eliot National Bank, - - - 2,902.11

Furniture of Office, Halls, and Stores, - - - 1,600.00

- - - - - \$175,181.06

Amount of Deposit Notes available (without assessments) to pay losses, - - - 164,000.00

- - - - - \$339,181.06

\$75,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$239,181.06 available surplus over amount required to re-insure all our risks.

The Company continues to insure the safer class of property at current rates, and to pay Return Premiums on terminated policies at 40 per cent. on five-year policies, 25 per cent. on three years, and 15 per cent. on one year policies.

Neponset, Feb. 12.

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE

Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

OF WEYMOUTH.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND OTHER BUILDINGS NOT EXTRA HAZARDOUS, and their contents, at as low rates as at any other reliable Company

Amount at Risk April 1, 1873.

\$2,035,704.00.

Cash Assets, - - - - - \$25,923.01

Deposit Notes, - - - - - 76,428.57

Total available Assets, - - - - - \$102,351.58

N. L. WHITE, President.

ELIAS RICHARDS, Sec'y.

Wm. B. DUGGAN, Agent, Quincy.

Weymouth, Aug. 1.

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons. Anonymous communications are not published.

Thanksgiving Day.

This festive day has come once more, and there will be many happy reunions in family circles. The weather has been very mild and pleasant thus far through the season, and the markets were never more abundantly supplied with poultry and vegetables for the festive board than at the present time. We hope the poor will be remembered by the kind-hearted on whom providence has smiled and dealt with bountifully.

JURORS. Messrs. Geo. W. B. Taylor and Howard Gannett have been drawn to serve as Jurors for the Criminal Session of the December Term of the Superior Court for Norfolk County.

CONTRACT AWARDED. The contract for the cut stone work, of the soldiers' monument, which Manchester, N. H., is about to erect to her honored dead, has been awarded to Messrs. Frederick & Field of this town, for \$6519. This is an old and reliable firm and the work will not doubt be done in a very satisfactory manner.

WOLLASTON. The Wollaston Dramatic Club gave an entertainment at Wollaston Hotel, Friday, Nov. 23d, to a full house. The programme consisted of the drama of "The Little Brown Jug," together with singing by members of the Club. Everything passed off in a very creditable manner to all concerned, and was much enjoyed by those present.

QUINCY REFORM CLUB. The usual social gathering of the Club was held on Saturday last. Select readings by Mr. Southworth were introduced during a part of the evening, to the gratification of all. This week Thursday, at 7:30 P. M., a choice selection of views will be given by Black's Stereoscopic at Faxon Hall, under the auspices of the Club, proceeds going for its benefit.

Next Saturday evening will occur the regular monthly business meeting. A good attendance is hoped for.

LECTURE. Dr. Wm. Wells Brown of Cambridge, one of the most eloquent lecturers in the country, will deliver an interesting address at the Town Hall, on Saturday evening, under the auspices of the Young People's Temperance Union. This is the first of a series of free lectures and entertainments to be given during the winter. Mr. Brown has lately returned from England, and his lecture on "Personal Reminiscences," will be amusing and instructive. We trust the hall will be crowded, for a rich treat is in store.

Mr. Brown having just returned from an extended tour through the British Kingdom, and being one of the leading representatives of his race, in the world, a self-made man in every respect, his lecture will undoubtedly be very enjoyable. This is his first appearance in this town for many years. Let us give him a grand welcome. It is expected that music will be provided for the occasion.

Mr. George W. Pennington, President of the Young People's Temperance Union, will preside and make a short address, on the objects of the Union.

REUNION. The Quincy High School Association will hold its annual reunion on Wednesday evening next. The oration is to be by Mr. Henry McGrath, and will be a production of merit. The poem was written for the occasion by Miss Abby I. Halls, and will be read by Miss S. Addie Southern. The poem we expect to give our readers in our next issue, and the oration the week following. The usual good time may be expected. The music is to be by Monk's Orchestra.

COLLECTOR'S SALE. The collector advertises several estates for sale in this issue. He wishes us to say that he has a very large number of estates which he shall be obliged to advertise at once, if owners do not come forward and settle their tax bills.

ACCIDENT. The wife of Mr. Salathiel A. Fletcher, while walking in her yard on Thursday of last week, accidentally made a misstep and fell to the ground, breaking one of her arms besides receiving some bad bruises.

REMEMBERED. Messrs. N. Curtis & Co., of Boston presented on Wednesday to each workman in their employ in this town, a Thanksgiving turkey. Such acts of remembrance between employers and employees tend to mutual good wishes and prosperity.

RUNAWAY. Last Saturday morning a horse attached to a wagon, belonging to Messrs. Loud & Co., grain dealers, became frightened while left standing in Dr. Gilbert's yard, and started on a run. He kept on his course until arriving at the residence of Dr. Gordon, when he turned into that gentleman's yard, where he ran rather rudely against a porch at the side entrance of the house, which threw him with the wagon bottom up to the ground. A young son of Mr. Charles O. Brackett was on the team at the time, and he was pretty well mixed up with the flour, but was fortunate in escaping with only a bad scare.

BAKE LAUNCHED. The bark, Joseph Ropes, which has been building the past season at the shipyard in North Weymouth, was successfully launched on Friday last. The following are her dimensions: Length over all, 158 feet; depth of keel, 15 feet; beam, 32 feet; length of hold, 19 feet; height between decks, 7 feet, with a 3 foot poop. She measures about 700 tons.

The Coffee Party which was held at the Town Hall, on Monday evening last, was well attended, considering the weather.

Local Items.

The weather, up to the hour of our going to press, has been unusually mild for Thanksgiving week.

The officers elect of Rural Lodge will be installed on Thursday evening, Dec. 6.

The Granite Engine Company hold a grand ball at the Town Hall, the night before Thanksgiving.

Tuesday was one of the finest days of the season. Doors and windows in the stores were kept open and the weather appeared like spring.

There is to be a grand Art Entertainment at Faxon Hall, on Thanksgiving night.

Seven hundred carriages were the number estimated at the launching last Saturday.

A very large quantity of rain fell on Sunday and Monday last.

Eben. Adams sells on Friday a quantity of standing wood in West Quincy.

The Tiger Engine Company have a ball Thanksgiving night.

The famous "Box Brown" lectures in the Town Hall, Saturday evening.

A dramatic performance was given in Robertson Hall on Tuesday evening, in aid of the Adams Academy foot ball eleven.

Joseph H. Vogle has this week started a granite yard, near the Quincy Adams depot.

If our citizens could have witicism, the politicians showed a gentleman this morning, as he passed in front of Robertson's Block, they would not say the young men of Quincy do not know enough to raise their hats.

The only daughter of Charles A. Mitchell, Esq., was married on Wednesday morning at her father's residence, and immediately after the marriage ceremony the happy couple proceeded to Boston, where they took the steamer for Europe.

John O. Holden has just received a choice stock of gold and silver ware for the holidays.

Concerts, prayer meetings, lectures, coffee parties, dances and entertainments of all kinds are in abundance this week, a variety enough to suit all classes.

Honest robbers have made their appearance in our village this week, one or two roasts were raided upon, but the barking of dogs drove away the would be robbers.

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Launch of the Red Cloud.

As previously announced Saturday last was the day set apart for the launching of this immense ship, an account of which was given in our last issue. The day was a mild one, and the event called together a large throng of spectators. It was a most successful affair. At about 1:30 the staunch ship slid gracefully into her future home, as if eager to commence her career.

"Life on the ocean wave."

Such was the impetuosity with which she bounded into her native element that it was impossible to check her in season to save her cable and anchor, which went beneath the water at the Point, while tugs took the ship, with the large party hunched on board, in tow for Charlestown, where she is to receive her complement of masts. From there she goes to East Boston to be fitted for sea. A similar occurrence, the losing of an anchor, happened at the last launching at the Point.

There were many who came to the spot in carriages. Among the equipages was the stylish span and carryall of Mr. Taylor, part owner of the ship, and who was on board at the time. The horses became frightened and started to run. Mr. Taylor's little girl being thrown beneath their feet, but by the exertions of William Garvey they were prevented from doing serious mischief. Had it not been for the timely check they received at his hands the most serious results must have happened, and Mr. Garvey deserves credit for the prompt, bold and efficient manner in which he averted a serious calamity.

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Summary of News.

It is estimated by a Canadian newspaper that in Canada 30,000,000 bushels of wheat and 10,000,000 bushels of barley have been harvested this year.

There were sixty-one failures in New York during the month of October, being the largest monthly record of the year.

Congress proposes to fix the pay of letter carriers in the cities at \$800 and \$950 per annum.

In filling an order for a dinner party yesterday, a Fourteenth-street florist used 10,000 roses.

Mrs. Geo. Walker, of Winooski, Vt., has a white chrysanthemum which had, last week, 989 blossoms and buds.

Solomon's temple stood 424 years; but it is hard to make our children believe in the glory of a structure that didn't last a single century to slide down.

Out of the thirty-three millions of people in Great Britain fifteen millions live upon imported food.

The Chicago health officers have vaccinated nearly 55,000 persons since August.

Cornell University has 400,000 acres of land in Wisconsin.

Seven hundred pounds of diamonds, valued at \$7,000,000, were shipped from South Africa in 1875.

A late cargo of sugar in Boston paid Uncle Sam \$121,950 duties.

A woman in New York recently died from a cat-bite received one year ago.

Massachusetts has 1,091,348 acres of woodland.

Enos Small of West Leeds, 80 years old, and his wife, aged 84 years, have just celebrated the 61st anniversary of their married life.

East bound freight from Chicago will be advanced at least five cents per hundred pounds at the close of navigation.

A drove of 250 turkeys recently attracted considerable attention on Main street, Concord, N. H.

The last wood burning engine of the Boston and Albany Railroad, the Huron, has been changed to a coal-burner.

About 2500 American and European are residents at Yokohama, Japan.

A charity dining room in New York city furnishes excellent soup at one cent a plate.

Honey worth \$1,100 from bees worth \$6 is the record of an Onondaga, N. Y., man for last year.

Over seventy-four thousand persons registered their names at Ridge Hill Farms the past season.

Caleb Briggs, of North Rochester, has raised 300 bushels of cranberries on his bog.

APPLE CROP. The apple crop of Western New York has been a full average and profitable yield this season. The Buffalo Express says, a peculiar fact is noted this year in the apple crop. Although Niagara, Orleans, Monroe, Wyoming and other counties do not send one quarter of their annual production—Niagara alone last year having 500,000 barrels against 100,000 this year—Erie, Chautauque and Chautauque counties surpass all of their yields of previous years. In these counties the crop has never amounted to much, but this season the number of barrels gathered for shipment is astonishing. It is estimated that these three counties have already sold over 500,000 barrels; and the other two 150,000 each. The farmers do not hesitate to say that the profits from their apples exceed that from all the other crops.

THE SCORE. The second number of this Journal contains "Gavotte" by Resch for piano; "Silence and Tears," Allen, bass song; "Arkansas March by Mack, the popular song; "Helping Katy over the Brook," with two pages of very interesting reading matter, all of which will be sent to you on receipt of four three-cent stamps. Address, JOHN F. PERRY & Co., 528 Washington Street, Boston, Mass.

Sunday Services.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by the Pastor, Sabbath School at 11:45 A. M. Concert of Prayer for Missions at 7 P. M. There will be a sermon in the Chapel on Thanksgiving Day at 10:30 A. M.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Sixth session of the People's Course. Subject, "Safety to Young Men." Services begin at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school immediately following.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M., followed by Sacrament and Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Preaching at 7 o'clock P. M.

On Thanksgiving day Sermon by Pastor at 11 o'clock A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2:30 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:30 by Rev. W. H. Cudworth of Boston. The ordinance of the Lord's Supper will be observed.

Sweet but Poisonous.

The Boston Board of Health has discovered that many yellow and green colored candies contain the extremely poisonous chromate of lead, and that while poisonous candy is sold in Quincy, the candy confectionery is absolutely pure.

Xmas Wonder Box

Contains 150 Transfer Pictures, 50 Scrap Book Pictures, 140 Embossed Pictures, 2 Xmas Cards, 1 Xmas Motto, 1 Xmas Letter Paper, 12 Xmas Envelopes, 1 Xmas Post Card, 20 Xmas Stamps, 20 Patterns of Xmas Work, 1 Game of Age Cards, 40 Silhouettes, 1 Xmas Photo Album, 1 Xmas Paper, 2 Xmas 10 Soldiers, 6 Xmas Heads, 2 Book Marks, 20 Xmas Cards, 1 puzzle and other interesting pictures, all in one box, and 100 Cents. J. JAY GOLDIE, 16 Broadway St., Boston, Mass. Dec. 1.

FOR FLOWER, HAIR-PIN AND LUNCH BASKETS.

Wool Spools and Spools, all styles, LADIES' WORK STANDS, and many other articles, at low prices. Also, LADIES' LACE BASKETS, Cufflinks, &c., &c.

G. R. HARPER'S, 23 BROADWAY STREET, BOSTON. (Four doors from Washington Street), Boston, Dec. 1.

See what the Boston Board of Health says about poisonous candies, in Southmayd's advertisement.

The Boston daily papers will suspend publication Thursday evening and Friday morning in order to allow their employees to enjoy Thanksgiving.

Wood at Auction.

WILL be sold at Public Auction, on FRIDAY, Nov. 2d, 1877, at 10 o'clock A. M., all the wood standing on 10 acres of land, situated on West street, West Quincy, near the house of Mr. Theodore Trask, and known as "Ship Dock." The wood consists chiefly of OAK and BIRCH, and will be sold in lots to suit purchasers.

If the weather should prove stormy, the sale will take place the first fair day at the same hour.

EBENEZER ADAMS, Auctioneer, Quincy, Nov. 2d, 1877. Dec. 1-1w.

German and Music.

MISS TILSTON, having studied in Germany, is desirous of forming classes, or giving Private Lessons, after the first of December.

Reference by permission, HON. J. Q. ADAMS, Quincy, Dec. 1.

HAY! HAY!

THE subscriber has just received a superior quality of English Hay, which he will sell cheap.

CAPE TURNIPS!

A prime lot of these excellent Cape Turnips, from the "HARLES CRANE," Quincy, Nov. 2d.

WANTED,

BY a young girl, a situation to do general housework. Good references given. Address "T. T.," Quincy, Mass. 2w.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION

is called to our stock of STOVES & RANGES, including the HIGHLAND, AUBURN And Royal Ranges.

These Ranges have extra large tops, and the flues are so arranged that all the holes are available, and are supplied with Reed's Regulator, which saves Coal and keeps the fire under perfect control. They are mounted in the most perfect manner and are supplied with all Modern Improvements.

Other patterns of RANGES FROM \$18 UPWARDS.

Also, the celebrated "STEWART" PARLOR STOVES! "HIGHLAND," "ROYAL," "WELL DONE" And Other Patterns.

The "Berkley" Open Stove IS THE BEST.

The "Splendid" Base Burner is without exception the most Perfect Stove in the market.

IN FURNICES, we shall recommend the best, and will guarantee Perfect Satisfaction. Any pattern of Stove or Furnace supplied at

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Poetry.

At Church.

Just look at her now—the little hump!—
So devout! I suppose she don't know
That she's bending her head too far over,
And the ends of her switches all show.
What a sight Mrs. Ward is, this morning!
That woman will kill me, some day,
With her horrible black-and-white dress!
Why will those old things dress so gay?
And there's Jenny Wells with Fred Tracy—
She's engaged to him now, horrid thing!
Dear me! I'd keep on my glove sometimes,
If I did have a solitary ring!
How can this girl next to me act so!
The way that she turns round and stares,
And then makes remarks about people—
She'd better be saying her prayers.
Oh, dear! what a dreadful long sermon!
He must love to hear himself talk!
And it's after twelve now—how provoking!
I wanted to have a nice walk.

Agricultural, &c.

Farm Life.

Old farmers are apt to think that the times are degenerate, and that farm life is by no means what it used to be. Perhaps not; but many of the changes which have taken place on the farm are improvements. The most discontented farmer who lives would not like to go back to the "good old times" when all the family ate in the kitchen, with the food served up on a bare table, in an earthen dish from which all partook in common, or that other little more stylish mode—a pewter platter—with "case-knives" and iron forks. Pot-luck and bean porridge made a very substantial dinner, and fried pork answered for breakfast; but we must say that we like a clean earthen or china plate better than a wooden trencher saturated with grease. Then, again, there is a pleasant change in the style of equilage. We would not go back to the times, if we could, when farmers rode to church on the Sabbath in the same lumber wagon with which they got out manure through the week, and this without much washing. Neither have we any hankering for a ride after the poky, long-necked, high-ribbed, angular-built, mongrel horses of the olden time. A board seat in a springless wagon, and a horse that requires constant whipping to keep him on a dog trot, may be very good for the dyspepsia, but there is some exhilaration and less loss of time with a fleet roadster before a light vehicle that does not rattle like a stage-coach and has some elasticity in its cushions and springs. At the same time, young America has no right to keep fast horses on the farm. There is a luxury which none but the rich can afford. Beside their first-act, their care and keeping are enough to frighten the average farmer. The last horse may have his place in the world, but that place is not on the farm. He can neither plow nor mow, and will seldom be permitted to take the wife and children out to ride. And now what shall we say about the girls who try to be fashionable upon the farm, and sail about in pull-bell dresses and with frizzled hair? Criticizing girls is ticklish business; but at all events let us be kind and all other fashionable follies be confined to women who have nothing else to do but dress. We expect better things of farmers' wives and daughters.—Chicago Ledger.

HINTS ABOUT FLOWERS. House plants ought to be stimulated gently once or twice a week. Rain water, so refreshing to summer flowers, always contains ammonia, which also abounds in all liquid manures. If you take an ounce of pulverized carbonate of ammonia, dissolved in one gallon of water, it will make spring water even more stimulating to your plants than rain water. If you water your plants once in two weeks with guano water (one tablespoonful to a pail of water), they will grow more thrifty. Chicken manure dissolved in water is excellent. Always keep the soil in your flower pots loose. A common hair-pin used daily will stir the earth sufficiently.

By keeping the bog pens and stables well littered with straw, leaves, or dry manure, a great deal of manure can be made and the comfort of the animals promoted.

Anecdotes.

"I say, Sam, do you know that I can prove to you that this side of the river is the other side?"
"What, prove that this side of old Hudson, what's more'n a mile wide, is the other side?"
"Well, let's see. Is not that one side of the river?"
"Yes; no disputin' that?"
"Agreed; and is not this the other side?"
"Well, I declare, if you larned folks can't prove almost anything now days."

"Father," said a boy who got kicked in the face by a mule that he was annoying, "shall I ever be as good looking as I was?"

"No, my son," answered the parent, "I don't think you'll be as handsome as you were, but you'll know a great deal more."

Grandpa, who asked grand before meals, was absent, and Tot No. 1 said to Tot No. 2:

"Now you bend your head down and say, 'Now I lay me,' just as grandpa does."

"Can you return my love, dearest Julia?"

"Certainly, sir; I don't want it, I'm quite sure."

There is a precocious six-year-old boy who is wonderful on spelling and definition. The other day his teacher asked him to spell "matrimony."

"M-a-t-r-i-m-o-n-y," said the youngster, promptly.

"Now define it," said the teacher.

"Well," replied the boy, "I don't exactly know what it means, but I know mother's got enough of it."

Conundrums.

At what season did Eve eat the apple?

—Early in the Fall.
Why is a four quart measure like a lady's side saddle?—Because it just holds a gallon.
What is that which lives in the winter, dies in summer and always grows with its roots upward?—An icicle.

Why is an omnibus strap like a conscience? Because it is an inward check to the outer man.

What is the difference between a spider and a sea-gull? One has his feet on a web and the other has a web on his feet.

Why is a Hansom cab a dangerous carriage to drive in? Because the coachman always drives over your head.

A Valuable Medical Treatise.
The edition for 1875 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Huxley's Almanac, is now ready. It contains, free of cost, of drugs and general country doctors, all parts of the United States and British America, and is in every city and town in the Western Hemisphere. It contains, with the standard practical advice for the physician, a large amount of interesting and amusing reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations, chronology, and other facts of general interest. It will be found entirely accurate. The issue of Huxley's Almanac, for the year 1875, in English, German, French, Italian, Spanish, Swedish, Dutch, and Russian, is now ready. It contains, with the standard practical advice for the physician, a large amount of interesting and amusing reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations, chronology, and other facts of general interest. It will be found entirely accurate. The issue of Huxley's Almanac, for the year 1875, in English, German, French, Italian, Spanish, Swedish, Dutch, and Russian, is now ready.

Trees! Trees!!

As the season is now at hand to plant all kinds of Trees, I wish to inform my friends and the public in general that I have on hand

ALL KINDS OF Fruit & Ornamental Trees.

SHRUBBERIES.

Also—A Variety of **GRAPE VINES.**

From one to three years old.

Currents and Gooseberries.

At my Nursery near the National

AMERICAN BREAKFAST CEREALS.

White Wheat, Oat Meal, Barley Food, A.B.C. Maizelia.

For sale by all

The Cereals Manufacturing Co.,

18 COLLEGE PLACE, N. Y.

Administrator's Sale

REAL ESTATE.

PURSUANT to a License of the Probate Court for the County of Norfolk, will be sold at Public Auction, on the premises hereinafter described, in Colchester, in said County, on SATURDAY, December 1st, 1874, at 1 o'clock P. M.

All the right, title and interest which the late Daniel F. Bates had, at the time of his decease, in and to a certain lot of land, with the dwelling-house and other buildings thereon, situated in said Colchester, and bounded as follows, viz: Situated on the westerly side of Beachwood street and bounded southerly by said street, westerly by Douglass street, northerly and easterly by land of the Beachwood Cemetery Association, and containing about one-half of an acre.

LOUIS T. CUSHING,

Administrator of Daniel F. Bates.

November 17th.

TO LET,

Two convenient Tenements in Quincy will be let on reasonable terms. Apply to

ELIZABETH FREDERICK,

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TO LET,

THE BUILDING on SUMMIT STREET, lately occupied by John D. Wheeler & Co. as a Book Manufacturer, for

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Quincy, Nov. 3.

TO LET,

TWO LARGE ROOMS, recently occupied by French & Ross, in Faxon's Block, on Hancock street. Apply to

HENRY H. FAXON,

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TO LET,

A HALF A House, five rooms, on Adams Street, near the Quincy Adm. House. A very pleasant situation, and reasonable terms to the right party. For further information address or apply to

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Quincy, Oct. 27.

TO LET,

THE ROOMS recently occupied by the Quincy Laundry. These rooms are light and airy, and suitable for manufacturing purposes. Apply to

JOHN HALL,

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FOR SALE,

BUILDING LOTS, on elevated land, near corner of Washington and Elm streets—These lots are, within five minutes' walk of the Depot, and near churches and schools. For particulars enquire of

BENJ. F. CURTIS,

Quincy, Sept. 13.

TO LET,

TWO TWO-STORY BUILDING on Washington Street, near the Depot, lately occupied by James W. Pierce. The two stories will be let together or separately.

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Quincy, Sept. 13.

TO LET,

A NICE TENEMENT on Hancock street, next south of Adams Academy. Inquire on the premises.

JOSEPH UNDERWOOD,

Quincy, June 2.

TO LET,

HOUSE on Cottage Street.—Inquire of

T. W. V. HAYWARD,

Quincy, July 2.

HOUSE LOTS FOR SALE.

LOTS numbered 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 24, on land drawn by Grainger & Holard, situated on TOWN HILL, so called, and bounded by Copeland and Centre streets, Quincy. Also, a lot of land situated at Hough Neck, near the beach, and No. 33, on land drawn by E. G. Pratt. For particulars, apply to

JOHN CRANE,

Quincy, April 8.

TO LET,

A modern built, Mansard roof house, nearly new, containing eight rooms, situated on Edwards street, recently occupied by T. H. Watson.

C. H. HARDWICK,

Quincy, June 23.

DR. S. D. HOWE'S ARABIAN MEDICINES.

CONSUMPTION CAN BE CURED.

This FACT has been fully demonstrated in more than 10,000 Cases by DR. S. D. HOWE, of New York, the GREAT CONSUMPTION DOCTOR.

The Arabian Medicines,

Collected from the world's most remarkable cures, and the ONLY MEDICINES that have ever positively been known to CURE CONSUMPTION.

Dr. Howe's Arabian Milk Cure.

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The Pills

Unlocks the liver, cures Indigestion, Dyspepsia, removes Constipation, Cuts, Fevers, and Biliousness. Cleanses the Stomach and regulates the Liver and Bowels.

The Arabian Tonic

Purifies, Cleanses and fills the veins with Pure, Rich, Life-giving Blood, vitalizes the whole system, gives energy, creates a ravenous appetite, and expels from the Lungs (through the blood) the poisonous matter which the VENOM of the disease creeps upon the lungs.

The Arabian Milk Cure

A pure and healthy food, feeds the stomach and nourishes the body, causes Easy Expectorations, dissolves the Catarrhal Mucus, and cures the chronic Inflammation in the Lungs, the corrupt secretions matter that causes the cough, the phlegm, the spasm, the asthma, the wheezing, the difficulty of breathing, the loss of sleep, and every other symptom of the disease.

Price of MILK CURE and TONIC

Each \$1 per Bottle.

PILLS 25 Cents per Box.

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LIVER AND KIDNEYS.

He has a sure and perfectly safe remedy for WOMEN IN CHILDREN.

MEDICINES may be procured at his residence on Randolph Avenue, one mile from Milton village, or at G. W. Bates's store, East Milton, or at Dr. S. D. Howe's store, Hardwick's store on Franklin Street, Quincy.

Mr. Snow will use the

ELECTRIC BATTERY

On persons who desire its application in cases of Rheumatism, Paralysis and Palsy.

Milton, Nov. 17.

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MARY J. HOLMES.

The new novel, MILLIE, and the new novel, THE LITTLE GIRL, are now ready. They are both published by G. W. Bates & Co., Boston.

G. W. Bates & Co.,

PLUG TOBACCO!

Merchants' Tobacco Comp'y, Boston.

Make the best use of our money. Our Dollar, half dollar, and quarter dollar cigars, are the best of the kind in each case. Sold by grocers and tobacco dealers generally. Please note labels and trade marks on the plugs. Ask for this, and get the best or no smoke at all can be had.

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NEW AND IMPROVED ORGANS REDUCED TO \$100.00. (THIS MONTH ONLY.)

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KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

Will cure Spavin, Splint, Curbs, Ring-bone, etc. For man or beast a complete remedy for Corns, Blisters, Eruptions, Felted Hair, Itch, and all skin diseases. **REMEMBER WE CLAIM NO PATENT.** THE CURE IS THE BEST WITHOUT DRESSING. Sold by druggists, or sent by mail on receipt of price, \$1. Send for circular giving proof of above statements. **H. KENDALL, D. D. Prop., Elizabeth, N. J.**

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We will make a permanent arrangement with a good business man to sell our goods in this county for a reasonable price. Address or apply to

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In this building, containing for the **Frederick Visitor** managed by West and North. **Largest Paper in the World**, with Mammoth Chromos and Colored Illustrations. Address or apply to

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THE subscriber has just received at his Aviary on Washington Street, rear of D. F. French's Boarding Establishment, a large variety of "Feathered Songsters," including

Canaries, Mocking Birds, Bullfinches, Cardinals, &c.,

which he will dispose of at reasonable rates.

Also—BIRD CAGES.

Constantly on hand for sale.—Seeds Gravel Paper, and Cage Strings.

FRANK W. FRENCH,

Quincy, Sept. 22.

NOTICE.

JOHN H. VEAZIE

HAS REMOVED HIS APOTHECARY

STORE from the building of Ex-Honorable H. H. Faxon, to

Store directly Opposite,

formerly occupied by Treanor & McEae.

Please govern yourselves accordingly.

Quincy, Sept. 20.

Executor's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the subscriber has been duly appointed Executor of the will of

BENJAMIN BASS,

late of Quincy, in the County of Norfolk, deceased, and has taken upon himself that trust by giving bonds as the law directs.

All persons having demands upon the estate of said deceased, are required to exhibit the same; and all persons indebted to said estate are called upon to make payment to

J. A. BASS, Executor.

Quincy, Nov. 14, 1877.

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DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY.

WONDERFUL CURES.

This well-known remedy has effected so many cures, and is so highly recommended by all who have experienced its virtues, that it is now the standard remedy for

The Standard Remedy

for Cough, Cold, Sore Throat, Whooping Cough, Influenza, Bronchitis, Asthma, and all other diseases of the Throat, Lungs, and Chest.

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A Case of Consumption.

CHERRY, N. H., March 26, 1877.

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I feel duty called upon to testify to the efficacy of your

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SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1877.

The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has just rendered an interesting decision. Mr. F. W. Lincoln, who at the time of his death was a resident of Canton, held considerable property in bank stock. The executors of his will were residents of Boston, and the Boston assessors levied a tax upon the bank stock held by them. Canton also claiming the right to tax them. The court rules that the fact that the executors reside in Boston affords no right to tax this bank stock there, but that it was taxable in Canton.

President Hayes, on the 17th inst., signed the first Congressional act of his executive life. The bill was carried to him by Representative Rainey of South Carolina, and Mr. Rainey cherishes as a memento the gold pen with which the President's signature was written.

Mr. John Carpenter, of Newton County, Ind., claims to be the tallest man in the State by virtue of a height of 6 feet and 10 inches.

An undertaker in Berrien County, Mich., is testing in the courts his right to disinter a body in order to recover a coffin which had not been paid for.

Mr. Moody's HOME. A record of a visit by Mr. George T. Angell to the home of the renowned evangelist at Northfield is interesting at many points, typical as well as personal. Northfield is described by Mr. Angell as one of the most beautiful of the Connecticut Valley towns. The main street is over a mile long and over one hundred feet wide, not including the front door yards. Mr. Moody's house is about half a mile above the village, adjoining the old homestead where he was born and where his mother and brothers now reside. It is a plain, substantial modern farmhouse, in good order, with one large room for "meetings." To the north it overlooks several miles of valley and river, with mountains on the east, west and north. Mr. Moody keeps two horses, some cattle, pigs, etc. And he has a wife that is indeed a helpmeet and makes for him a happy home.

Mr. Moody's family were Unitarians. His mother is an excellent christian woman and a member of the Unitarian Church of Northfield. A brother is a deacon in the Unitarian Church and a younger brother has been converted during Mr. Moody's labors.

It may be well for American chemists and inventors to know that the authorities of Guadalupe have offered a premium of \$20,000 for the best new process of extracting the juice of the sugar-cane, the cost not to exceed forty per cent. of the market value. The offer is open till June, 1880.

A new invention is claimed by a San Francisco gentleman. It is a water faucet through which if water is run it comes out as cold as ice-water. The faucet contains a number of small tubes inclosed in larger ones, and between the outside of the one and the inside of the other certain chemicals are packed, which produce the desired effect.

The city of Liverpool expends annually three million and a half of dollars in maintaining and extending its docks. This is more than the entire river and harbor appropriation of the United States.

Not a bank failure in Holland for forty years, notes everywhere at par with gold, insurance one-half of one per cent., railroad fares a cent a mile, and dishonesty so rare that it is hardly known by sight to the bulk of the inhabitants. So reports the United States Minister at the Hague.

There are more Indians in this country now than there were at the settlement of the country. The race is not dying out. It has cost us five hundred million of dollars to take care of them as "wards of the nation." In Canada, where they are not "wards," it has cost next to nothing. Justice is economy.

The Italian Parliament has voted in favor of compulsory education, and all children up to the age of nine years must hereafter attend public schools, unless it can be shown that they are receiving an equivalent education at home or in private schools or are in feeble health.

Budget of Fun.

This philanthropic incident occurred at a restaurant recently, and is a beautiful illustration of the better side of human nature: Two gentlemen had had a tolerably good dinner, and were looking at the checks, which fell some three dollars short of the proper amount. In lieu of two bottles of Champagne which had been consumed, the waiter had charged for only one. "Shall we point out the thing?" said one, probably the more scrupulous. "Well," replied the other, after a moment of doubt, "we had better not. The waiter would be sure to be scolded, poor fellow."

This is the way they worked it up in one of the Western journals: "Finding escape impossible, she threw a feather-bed out on the ground, and grasping her two children, leaped from the second story out upon it, did Mrs. Briggs. All three escaped unhurt." She was a noble woman, to do so well after "finding escape impossible."

A servant who prided herself on living in a "genteel" family defined it, on being questioned, as one "where they keep a carriage, have three or four kinds of wine, and never pay a bill the first time it's called for."

"My wife," remarks one Benedict to another, "has just the loveliest head of hair you ever saw. When she lets it down, it reaches in a mass of ringlets below her waist." "That's nothing," replies the other; when my wife lets hers down, it falls to the floor."

When a canvasser called at the house of an austere Rutland widow, the other day, and inquired if there was a man on the premises, the lady replied, loftily, "None; but I have a very large dog which takes the place of a man, and reflects credit upon the house." The canvasser took the hint and departed.

The difference between the preacher, the builder and the architect of the church is simply this: One is the rector, the other the erector, and the third the director.

The man who said he had just got out of a tight place had been seen a few minutes before wiping his mouth in a drinking saloon.

A young clergyman having the misfortune to bury five wives, being in company with a number of ladies, was severely rallied by them upon the circumstance. At last one of them rather impudently put the question to him how he managed to have such good luck. "Why, madam," says he, "I knew they could not live without contradiction, therefore I let them go their own way."

"Now tell me colonel, how do you feel when you've killed a man?" "Oh, very well, thank you, doctor; how do you?"

Sailor (smoking and soliloquizing.) "If I only had been born a steamboat! Could have smoked like that steamer without buying tobacco."

A St. Louis journal tells of a disconsolate widower who, on seeing the body of his late wife lowered into the grave, exclaimed, with tears in his eyes, "Well, I've lost gloves, I've lost umbrellas—yes, even cows and horses; but I never—no, never—had anything to cut like this."

The name of a centenarian recently deceased, was Lettys Steel. He was no politician either.

A healing medium—a cobbler.

REMOVAL.

The Quincy Dye-House

—AND—
STEAM LAUNDRY,

Has been removed to the Store formerly occupied by KEATING & SPEAR, on

Washington Street,

WHERE the subscriber is prepared to do all kinds of

DYEING,

in the best manner, at the shortest notice, and at reasonable prices.

CLEANING OF ALL KINDS, done at short notice.

We are better prepared than ever to do

LAUNDRYING

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES,

in the highest style of the art, and hope by strict attention to business, to merit a liberal patronage.

ORDER BOX at E. B. Souther's, at the Depot, and at Wollaston Post Office.

C. W. GEORGE, PROPRIETOR.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

Renting Coffins.

The poor people of New York city have an unaccountable mania for funeral pomp and ceremonies, consequently when a member of a family dies, all available funds are expended in laying the body in state, and in an impressive cortege. The matter of carriages is not vexatious to the mourners, as the occupants are expected to contribute their quota to the expense of conveyances, a privilege eagerly embraced by hundreds who regard a funeral procession in the light of a gala parade. But the lying in state, to be imposing, is a costly luxury, particularly with the impecunious, consequently as a corpse is an object of curious inspection by admiring friends, the beauty of the exhibition can be secured at a smaller expense through the hire of a casket than through the purchase outright. In an undertaker's window can be seen a coffin of the most costly fabrication, with a superabundance of silver ornamentation, lined with rich satin, and otherwise adorned munificently. A facsimile of this \$300 casket can be hired of its exhibitor, who supplies an exquisite lining in accordance with the rules of trade, pink for a brunette, light blue for a blonde, and so on, and into the loaned receptacle places the corpse until the hour of burial arrives, when the inside frame of the coffin is slipped out and the deceased transferred into a cheap stained wood imitation of the costly outer casket and "planted" without the imposture being detected. At present a handsome external case demands a rental of \$5 a day, and as the body is generally "laid out" for three days, this, with incidentals, constitutes a good source of revenue.

San Francisco, already infamous for the large number of Sunday amusements which it patronizes, has recently added bull-fighting to the list. A Spanish matador in red shirt, green trunks and striped hose, and holding the regulation banner in his hand, met and faced a vicious Texan bull and nearly lost his life for his pains. A drunken butcher then climbed over the fence, seized the bull by the horns and tried to gouge out its eyes, for which he was promptly tossed twice into the air. The affair was voted a grand success.

FAMINE IN BRAZIL. The United States Consul at Pernambuco says the drouth in the interior of Brazil had a very disastrous effect, in one province alone 80,000 cattle having died, and 15,000 people were on the verge of starvation.

A Western editor returned a tailor's bill, indorsed, "Declined; handwriting illegible."

Don't wait till cold weather before you get that

OVERCOAT

of yours out and have it repaired and pressed at

F. A. SPEAR'S,
86 Hancock Street.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

—AT—

LOMBARD'S CLOTHING HOUSE,

—IN THE—

BRICK BLOCK,

OVERCOATS

ARE SELLING CHEAP!!

—ALSO—

A very good line of

BUCK GLOVES

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MITTENS,

AT PRICES

To Compete with the Times.

Gents' Underwear!

—IN—

LARGE VARIETIES.

CALL EARLY!

And See for Yourself.

Quincy, Nov. 10th.

Pure Cider Vinegar,

MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE.

For sale by the barrel or gallon.
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

NEW GOODS

Reed's Shoe Store.

I HAVE RECEIVED THE PAST WEEK,

A FINE LOT OF

Boots and Shoes,

FOR THE

FALL AND WINTER,

—FOR—

MEN'S,

BOYS' and

YOUTHS',

WOMEN'S,

MISSSES',

—AND—

Children's Wear,

AS WELL AS

Rubbers of All Kinds.

—ALSO—

In response to repeated calls, have added

a LINE of

GENTS' HOSIERY.

ALL OF WHICH WILL BE SOLD

AT THE

Lowest Prices Possible!

FOR CASH,

And to which your attention is called

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C. T. REED,

Chestnut Street.

Quincy, Oct. 20.

1000 IN GOLD.

TO ALL

WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

The directors of the Phosphoric Air Company in good faith, offer the above reward, for the sworn statement of two respectable citizens of any city or town, which will prove that

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has failed to permanently cure any form of CATARRH, Asthma, Epilepsy, or any form of Nervous or mental diseases. One month's treatment, Inhaler, and instruction, sent to any part of the country on receipt of \$5.00.

Inhalation is the only way, in which the Air passages, and Brain can be reached.

Phosphoric Air cures by its effects upon the circulation, which is the only way, disease can be eradicated from the system.

We will be happy to give a TRIAL FREE to any who can call upon us so that they may experience its immediate beneficial effects.

Consulting Rooms of Phosphoric Air Company,

94 Tremont St., Boston.

Sept. 8.

Bill Posting.

THE subscriber is prepared to carry to all parts of Quincy, Bills, Circulars, Programmes, Cards, &c. at short notice.

Also, to POST BILLS in the most conspicuous and best places in town.

Prompt and careful attention given to all orders.

CHARLES T. STANCOMBE.

Quincy, Nov. 3.

is not easily earned in these times, but it can be made in three months by any one of either sex, in any part of the country who is willing to work steadily at the employment that we furnish. \$66 per week in your own town. You need not be away from home over night. You can give your whole time to your work, or only your spare moments. We have agents who are making over \$200 per day. All who engage at once can make money fast. At the present time money cannot be made so easily and rapidly at any other business. It costs nothing to try the business. Terms and \$5 outfit free. Address at once, H. HALLETT & CO., Portland, Maine.

June 20.

AGENTS WANTED In every town in New England, to sell the VICTOR NEEDLE GRATER, just patented. Beats the world! \$5 a day easy. Samples 25 cents. We also manufacture the Eagle Branding Paper; the finest indigo branding ever offered. Can be sold to every house and laundry. Sample 10 cents; also, 50 other new novelties, including the popular toy; the shooting star, 15 cents; Boot Button Fasteners, 15 cents; Cold Water Pens, all styles, &c. Send for free catalogue. DOWNS & FULLBROOK.

Oct. 27.

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Which renovates the finest wearing apparel without injury to color or fabric, restoring them to their original beauty. Special attention to pressing same.

Ladies' and Gents' Garments of all kinds, Dyed or Cleaned, whole or ripped.

Carpets, Rugs, Blankets and Woolen Curtains cleaned.

Furriers dyed, cleansed and curled.

Crape re-dressed at shortest notice.

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Orders by Express or Mail promptly attended to.

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Works,

For thoroughly cleansing from oil, grease or dirt, and destroying all insect life, Furniture, Bedding, Carpets, Rugs, and Blankets.

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Sept. 22.

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This new brick Hotel, on Hancock Street, is now open for the accommodation of guests. It is provided with all modern improvements, such as Steam Heat, Bath Rooms, Water Closets, &c., and a very fine DRAMATIC HALL or BALL ROOM. PLEASURE PARTIES can find here all the comforts formerly enjoyed at the old Lexington House.

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Quincy, April 3.

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 1, 1877.

Take the Dry One.

On one of Captain Morgan's voyages from America to England, he had under his care a very attractive young lady, who speedily distinguished herself by reducing five young gentlemen to the verge of distraction. She was quite ready to marry one, but what could she do with five? In the embarrassment of her riches she sought the captain, who, after a few moments thought, said: "It's a fine calm day, suppose by accident you should fall overboard; I'll have a boat lowered ready to pick you up, and you can take the man who loves you well enough to jump after you." This novel proposition met the young lady's views, and the programme was accordingly carried out with the trifling exception that four of the young men took the plunge, and being picked up by the boat, presented themselves a dripping quartette upon the ship's deck. The object of their undampened ardor, no less wet than themselves, fled to her state-room and sent for her adviser, the captain. "Now, captain," cried she in despair, "what am I to do?" "Ah, my dear," replied the captain, "if you want a sensible husband, take the dry one"—which she did.

More Than He Could Do.

When Louis Phillippe was staying at the Star and Garter, Richmond, he walked one day by himself to Twickenham, for the purpose, he said, of seeing some of the old tradesmen who had served him when he resided there. As he passed along the road a man met him, pulled off his hat, and hoped his royal highness was well. "What's your name?" inquired the king. "What were you when I lived here?" "Please your royal highness," replied the man, "I kept the Crown," the name of an ale-house close to the entrance of the Orleans House. "Did you, indeed?" said Louis. "Why, my good fellow, you did what I was unable to do."

True Love Never Runs Smooth.

A couple of lovers on the East Side whose parents are averse to their holding joint discussions, decided to adopt the telephone as a medium of communication. The cord was conveyed every evening after dark from a chamber window in the rear of the house to an apple tree near the alley fence, and whisperings of love filled the air immediately. Such passages as these were constantly going backward and forward: "Dearest, do you still love me?" "Better than life; why doubt me?" "How cruel to be thus separated." "Will your parents ever relent?" "A younger sister discovered what was going on, and, as she didn't like the young man very well, she thought she would have some fun. Rushing up stairs a few evenings ago, she said to her sister who was in the whispering business: "Pa wants to see you immediately!" Without explaining to her lover of a break in the connection, the girl darted off to see what was the matter. Now was a chance for mischief, and the unfriendly sister promptly took the matter in hand. She placed the tin tube to her ear and a whisper came, "I would give anything to see you to-night!" The answer was quickly sent: "All are away from here. Come to the parlor door. I'm all alone." "I go!" was the cheerful response. Dropping the instrument the mischievous girl darted down stairs and meeting her puzzled paternal ancestor, who had just been questioned by the other sister, she said: "Oh, Pa, I'm so frightened. A tramp or somebody has been making motions at my window, and I know he's coming in at the front door. Do drive him away!" The old gentleman pushed through the hall, which was not lighted as fast as possible, and there just entering he beheld the outline of a man. The noise for the next few moments was as if a fight was going on. Then the honest watch dog came, then the hired man, then the girls rushed screaming from the back door, then "Mary" brought a light from the kitchen, and then a man was seen darting away, minus a coat, and his face all scratched. The astonishment in that household is great, but the mischievous girl will not make any explanations and so the tragic affair remains a profound mystery.

A gentleman named More proposed to a lady by letter, and she asked time for consideration, closing her letter with the words:—"No More at present."

Snipe on Toast.

A sojourner in a large city, who is at the mercy of restaurants where you are treated with a big bill of fare, and very little food on your plate, thus hits it off: Snipe on toast would be almost too hearty food to feed people on who had been floating on a raft three weeks, feeding on old boot-legs.

Says I to the waiter, "Give me snipe on toast."

By-and-by he came in and put down toast and I kept on reading; and I sat there for an hour. Then I rang the gong.

The waiter entered and, says I, "Where in thunder is my meat?"

Says he, "They've been on the table an hour."

Says I, "I didn't order plain toast; I ordered snipe on it."

Says he, "There is a snipe on it."

Then I drew close up to the table, and I saw a little black speck on the toast.

Says I, "Will you swear that's a snipe?"

Says he, "Yes."

Says I, "You'd make a good linen buyer, you would?"

Says he, "It is snipe on toast, anyhow."

Says I, "How did it get on?"

Says he, "That snipe is all right. It's a full-sized one, too."

Says I, "I'm glad of it. I'm glad you told me that's a full-sized snipe; for do you know, young man, when I sat out there reading, I saw a black speck on that toast, but I took it for a fly, and I am glad to be informed that it's a snipe—a full-sized snipe. Now you can take that snipe away, and bring me a turkey on toast. I want a full-sized turkey, too."

I ain't hankering after snipe since that episode. I could have blown that snipe through a putty-blower without hurting the snipe or the putty-blower, either. Snipe on toast may be a game but, it's a mean game.

Keep Your Troubles Sacred.

A worthy wife of forty years' standing, and whose life was not made up of sunshine and peace, gave the following sensible and impressive advice to a married pair of her acquaintance: "Preserve sacredly the privacies of your own house, your married state and your heart. Let no father or mother, no sister or brother, or any third person ever presume to come in between you two, or to share the joys and sorrows that belong to you two alone. With God's help build your own quiet world, not allowing your dearest earthly friend to be the confidant of aught that alone concerns your domestic peace. Let moments of alienation, if they occur, be healed at once. Never let the morrow's sun still find you at variance. Review and renew your vow; it will do you good, and thereby your souls will grow together, cemented in that love which is stronger than death, and you will truly grow one."

FACTS WE ALL SHOULD KNOW. A full developed man has 249 bones, and fifteen quarts of blood. The amount of blood is nearly thirty pounds or full one-fifth of the weight. The heart is six inches in length and four inches in diameter. It beats seventy times per minute, 4200 times per hour, 100,800 per day, 36,772,000 times per year, 1,565,440,000 in three score and ten. At each beat two and a half ounces of blood are thrown out of it, one hundred and seventy-five ounces per minute, six hundred and fifty-six pounds per hour, seven and three-fourths tons per day. All the blood in the body passes through the heart every three minutes.

Patent Safety Lamp

— AND —
SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWELVE HUNDRED AND FIFTY lives, and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by upsetting lamps while burning, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

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— AND —
SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot explode if dropped! Cannot overturn! Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguished as easily as gas.

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Quincy, Oct. 6.

A Lesson in Business.

Merchants sometimes pay a high rate of interest, three per cent. a month even, in order to get out of a "tight place."—A young merchant of New York, who found himself in need of \$100,000, for which he was willing to pay a high rate of interest, called on Mr. James G. King, a banker, for the loan. He received aid, but he was also taught a lesson. Said Mr. King—

"Look ye, L., you have paid as high as three per cent. a month for the use of money!"

"Yes," replied the applicant, a little warmly, "and I am ready to do it again. My business will warrant it."

Mr. King shook his head. No business in the world, he declared could warrant such a thing. But the younger man was headstrong and positive. He knew that his business would warrant the interest mentioned for the accommodation required.

"Well—now look here, L.—I happen to have a hundred thousand in the bank which I can spare; but I don't want to take it out for a short time. If you will take it three years, at three per cent. a month, it is yours. Make your note for the hundred thousand, payable in three years after date, at that rate of interest, and I will discount it for you at once, saying nothing about security."

The young merchant was delighted.—As soon as he could believe that King was in earnest, he took a blank form and made the note.

"Now let us reckon the discount," said the older merchant.

He figured a few moments, and then looking up with a smile, said—

"L., you owe me eight thousand dollars!"

The young man thought at first his friend was joking; but when he came to look at the figures, he found it too true.

One hundred thousand dollars, at three per cent. a month, would be thirty-six per cent. a year—\$36,000—and for the three years, \$108,000.

"Well, L., what do you think of a business conducted upon such a basis? Now, look ye—"

Mr. King then told the young man just what he would do, on the condition, however, that he would turn over a new leaf in his business. L. saw the brink upon which he had stood, and, with his friend's generous assistance, he backed away from it.—*Youth's Companion.*

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We buy our goods of the manufacturer, by which means we save one profit; we also buy for CASH, and get a discount for it. We have all our goods warranted, so that if any should prove not good we give others in place of them.

Our sales are larger than others, and our expenses are less, so that we can afford to sell at prices below all others. If you will call and examine our goods you will be convinced of the truth of our assertion. We would give prices of our goods, but it would be useless unless you could see them and judge for yourselves.

Please remember that we keep Men's and Boys' Socks, all the different kinds of Dressing; also, Rubber Soles and Cement, Leather Cement, Rubber Goreing, Cork Soles and Medicated Soles, Merino Seamless Boots and Shoes, which are very warm and comfortable. Our rubber goods are of the very best quality. Rubber and Leather Boots and Shoes RE-PAIRED in the best manner and at short notice.

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Washington Street,

QUINCY.

Oct. 27.

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ON HIS SPECIAL LINES OF
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Ladies' fine goat side lace Boots,	\$2 50
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Misses' fine goat Button Boots,	2 00
Ladies' fine kid Button Boots,	2 50
Ladies' fine kid side lace Boots,	2 75
Ladies' French kid button and side lace Boots,	3 50
Gents' best calf Boots,	3 to 4 50
Gents' Congress & lace Waukenphast Boots,	2 50 to 4
Gents' Button Boots,	5 00

These are not Cheap Qualities, but the Best Work and Stock.

Satisfaction given if any prove poor with little wear.

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1-2 Soles, Heels, hand-sewed,	\$1.25
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Heels,	.35
1-2 Soles, pegged,	.65
1-2 Soles, sewed,	.85
Patches from 10 to 15 cents.	

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Sept. 25. tf

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Heels,	.35
1-2 Soles, pegged,	.65
1-2 Soles, sewed,	.85

BOYS:

1-2 Soles, Heels,	.85
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LADIES:

1-2 Soles, Heels,	.65
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Clean Fresh Stock,

In regular sizes, at prices that will please you. Give us a call, examine our goods, and judge for yourselves.

GEORGE SAVILLE.
90 Hancock Street.
Quincy, June 30. tf

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FRANKLIN COAL,

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LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA,

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HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

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Small quantities of Wood and Coal will be kept at this Store to supply immediate demand. All orders promptly attended to. A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH.
Quincy, May 1. tf

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Genuine Franklin Coal,

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STERLING SHAMOKIN,

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White Ash and Cumberland Coals.

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SAWED TO ANY LENGTH.

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IN SMALL OR LARGE QUANTITIES,
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HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

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furnished in quantities to suit customers.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance.

Office open on Saturday Evenings until 8 o'clock; other evenings until 6.

OWEN ADAMS, Agent.
Quincy, June 23. tf

REMOVAL.

WILLIAM B. RYAN,

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Shop first door north of the National Granite Bank, Hancock St., Quincy, where he

KEEPS constantly on hand, Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe, Water-Closets various kinds, Forcing and Suction Pumps, Bath Tubs, and Boilers, Wash-Bowls various patterns, Brass and Plated Cocks, &c., &c.

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Lemons a Cure for Consumption.

A correspondent of an English medical journal furnishes the following recipe as a new cure for consumption: Put a dozen whole lemons in cold water and boil until soft (not too soft), roll and squeeze until the juice is all extracted, then drink. Use as many as a dozen a day. Should they cause pain or looseness of the bowels, lessen the quantity and use five or six a day until better. By the time you have used five or six dozen you will begin to gain strength and have an appetite. Of course as you get better you need not use so many. Follow these directions and we know that you will never regret it if there is any help for you. Only keep it up faithfully. We know of two cases where both of the patients were given up by the physicians, and were in the last stages of consumption, yet both were cured by using lemons according to the directions we have stated. One lady in particular was bedridden and very low; had tried everything that money could procure, but all in vain, when, to please a friend, she was finally persuaded to use the lemons. She began to use them in February, and in April she weighed 140 pounds. She is a well woman today, and likely to live as long as any of us.

Disappearance of Oak Timber.

From statistics recently published it appears that oak timber especially is rapidly disappearing from Europe, although half of the area of Sweden, one-fourth of Norway, one-sixth that of Switzerland, and 780,000 square miles in Russia are said to be yet in forest. The consumption of oak in France has doubled during the last fifty years; she requires 15,000,000 cubic feet yearly for wine casks alone, 750,000 for building purposes, 600,000 cubic feet for her fleet, and 150,000 cubic feet for railway carriages. 280,000 worth of staves were imported in 1872; 25,000,000 worth are now needed. Since losing Alsace and Lorraine, France contains 150,000,000 acres; 20,000,000 of this surface is covered with forest. Holland and Belgium are nearly denuded of timber, and are large importers. North Germany is rich in forest, but within half a century has commenced to cut down young trees. Austria has sold her forests since railways have been introduced. In Italy no forests remain. Spain and Greece are almost woodless. The southern coast of the Mediterranean is almost forestless.

Activity.

The doctors will tell you, and your own observation will confirm it, that the healthiest men in the world are men most actively engaged. The child's hymn has it that Satan finds mischief for idle hands; and the ghostly goddess of ill-health and disease finds mischief for sluggish blood and indolent muscles. Even the mountain lake, for all the cool fresh wind that continually crisps its dark surface into tiny waves, grows dull and stagnates in its inactivity; and that Christian life which is only a pool, shut into its own broodings, must of necessity stagnate also. How different the dull surface of the standing water, with its matting of heavy weeds, from the clear musical life of the streamlet that rushes by field and wood, with a song and a blessing wherever it goes. Activity is essential to healthy life, and especially to healthy Christian life. The Christian life is like the bicycle that hurries along our roads—while it is in motion you are borne onward safe and upright, but when it pauses you fall helpless to the earth.—Golden Hours.

SNORING. Dr. John Wyeth is entitled to the gratitude of all who are afflicted with the habit of snoring, for the simple device he has contrived to counteract the tendency. The apparatus is described by him in the Popular Science Monthly, and an explanation is at the same time given of the cause of snoring. In the act of breathing, the air may travel to and from the lungs through the channels of the mouth or the nose. Both channels unite in a common cavity just below the soft palate or bone forming the roof of the mouth and the floor of the nose. The other end of the soft palate hangs loose, and is moved by the currents of air passing in and out of the lungs, as a window-curtain is flapped by the breeze. If the air passes through the nose alone, the end of the palate is pressed gently down upon the tongue so as to lessen the movement or vibration, and no sound is heard. But if the mouth as well as the nose be open, so that two currents of air pass in and out together during the act of breathing, the soft palate is thrown into rapid and sonorous vibrations, and what we call snoring is the result. It follows that the remedy for snoring is to keep the mouth shut, and admit air to the lungs only through the channel of the nose. This can be effected by means of a simple cap fitting the head snugly, and united by an elastic band, near the ear on each side, to a cap of soft material fitting the chin.

A Louisville matron, whose husband snored badly, keeps a clothes-pin underneath her pillow, and when his snoring awakes her, she adjusts the pin on his nasal organ, and then slumbers peacefully. Envelopes were first used in 1839.

Poetry.

POEM
Written for the Quincy High School
Reunion by Miss ARBY I. HALLS,
of Santa Barbara, Cal., delivered
by Miss ELKIE
RUSSELL.

Beside the ever restless, rolling sea,
Fair young maiden stands;
The waters at her feet turn ceaselessly,
And kiss the sands;
Around her brow, and in her fragrant hair,
Filling with heavy sweets the slumberous air,
The waxes calyxes of orange bloom
Mingle with strange and tropical perfume.
To her the rosy spoil of Summer's gain
The richer fruit of Fall;
The fairest glory of sweet Winter's rain,
Bring tribute all.
Above her head, the pepper's matchless green,
In pendulous spray of living leaf, is seen;
Almond and olive, lemon, fig and vine,
With pear and peach their offerings combine.
And where from 'twixt her parted rose lips
Escapes her balmy breath,
Is found the healing for a nation's ills,
The balsam of life and death.
With flushing, pale mountains at her back,
She stands beside Pacific's noisy track;
And reaches out a friendly hand to you,
Sweet Santa Barbara, fair young saint, and true.
And there, beside Atlantic's rolling surf,
Resistless, free and grand,
Older and graver, strong and steady-willed,
Doth Quincy stand;
Bearing with steady front and rugged brow,
Her crown of twice one hundred years of snow,
With all New England's firmness, granite-based,
Unchanging, upward-looking, steadily-faced.
Dear friends, across the continent to-night,
My thought and love reach you,
Though not with eye to eye, or hand to hand,
In pressure true;
Yet none the less are we together now,
For over softer skies of winter glow,
With lighter tints and deeper, purer blue,
Than drew New England's winters ever knew.
The winds are sharp and cold that round you blow.
This mid-December night;
But memory lifts our heart with warmer glow
Of love alight.
Borne on the swift tide of thought along,
We span the lapse of space, till firm and strong
Can friend meet friend, and heart can speak to heart,
While distance holds their separate lives apart.
In fancy, though the years have rolled their rounds,
Of change, I tread
Beneath the elms, and by the historic ground
Of Quincy's dead.
But all unchanged the view still meets my sight;
Untouched, unmoved, as seen by memory's light;
Again the distant towers of Boston rise,
Where earth looks up to touch the bending skies.
The granite-founded hills still stretch away hissing,
Bearing, from base to crest,
Type of New England's character away.
As sterns their breast
Through summer's heat, or cooled by winter's snow,
Year after year; still all unmoved, their brows
They lift to heaven, with just the same strong will.
The same endurance, and same patience still.
And lying warmly midst its sheltering hills,
We see the town we love;
The old stone church, lifting its stately tower
To heaven above;
The hall where Quincy's orators pour out
Their burning eloquence, with many a shout,
As taxes, schools, and library in turn,
Call for the thoughts that glow, the words that burn.
Again we see the school house, through whose aisles
Our feet have trod, whose walls
In other years echoed our laughter back
With merry jest and song.
The same long road was taken by every one,
The same tasks coned, as the four years went on,
And x plus y, things always found unknown,
Or Virgil's numbers rolled from noble tongue.
You ever remember that great day,
When first, with beating heart,
Yet proud array, we felt within its walls,
We had a part.
No sun had ever shone so bright before,
No hearts had ever so hoped and feared of yore;
No conqueror's cry viewed so fair a world
As that which through our teeming fancy whirled.
But steadily, from our crowded ranks,
As busy time pressed on,
New duties called; and dear, familiar names,
We missed them at our side from day to day,
But sped them with good wishes on their way,
And turned once more, with stronger heart and lead,
Striving our own work prove not all in vain.
And so to some the four years filled their course,
With April smile and tear,
We closed this volume of our youthful lives,
And clasped it here.
Some lessons learned we then of scholars' lore;
But other, sweeter lessons, prize we more:
Lessons of friendship all our lives will hold,
Of truth and trust that never can grow old.
I wonder what the record is to-night
Of every life and heart,
Which must mingle here for these four years
Then grew apart.
Beneath what skies each different lot was cast,
What laurels gathered, and what dangers passed,
What little corner of the world's wide field,
Will harvest for their labor, richer yield?
The city of the dead holds some, whose halls
Are filled from year to year,
With those who found life's study all too hard,
And left it here.
With other teachers and from fairer books
We trust they learn—aye, even from Christ's
dear books.
When school was ended, and the last task
Learned,
Then came the glad "well done" their lives
had earned.
And some, brave soldiers in the war for right,
Have fought, and conquered too.
Our lives are better for the deeds that these
Have dared to do.
Our roll will bear its still lengthening list
Names that Applause and Honor oft have kissed;
Names that are blazoned on the roll of Fame,
And that our hearts repeat with proud acclaim.

Miscellany.

Poverty and Preserved Ginger.

I was requested to visit a family on St. James street. There were three in the group—husband, wife, and a baby less than four months old. They had come to Richmond on their way north; the man had neither money nor employment, the wife had no force nor strength, and the child seriously ill. They had not a cent to buy milk or medicine for the child, nor a morsel of bread, nor anything that could be used to give light. The house was small with an insufficient supply of furniture. They had secured it by paying nearly all the money they had brought with them—the small remainder had been expended in the purchase of some smoked salmon, three oranges and a yellow glass heart to hang around the baby's neck. A sensible calico gown was hanging up on a closet door, but the woman wore a silk dress, which seemed covered with the rust of ages. Around her neck was a gold-colored chain composed of enormous links and apparently holding a watch in her belt. I asked her the time, as my watch was out of order. She explained that the chain was attached to the key of her trunk. "However lowly," said she, "I may have descended into the cloudy vale of woe; no, that's too strong."
"Misfortune," I suggested.
"Thank you, sir; however lowly I may have descended into the cloudy vale of misfortune, there are ties which cause memory to be odorous with the light of days gone by."
"She was brought up to have all that heart could wish," the man remarked, by way, probably, of explaining her high-sounding language.
"This dress, that I had at boarding school, I wear to remind me of my delight in soaring over the plains of arithmetic and geography, and this chain I keep as a memento of my bridal."

Mr. Rowley was not always so ambitious as his wife in the use of language, but was greatly influenced by her, and listened admiringly to her discourse. Mrs. Rowley was the daughter of a successful junk-dealer, and had nearly ruined her mind by trashy reading. Mr. Rowley had been, before his marriage, an amiable, purposeful young man, who had met this imaginative damsel in a rail-car, escorted her home, and shortly afterwards clandestinely married her, for which he received and shared with her the curses of his father-in-law, whose door neither of them dared darken thereafter. Mr. Rowley lost one situation after another, through lack of force and energy, and finally obtained a situation as overseer of a farm. There he fell into the greatest destitution. He was totally ignorant of the work which he had undertaken, and of course, failed miserably. They suffered greatly, and left, considering themselves cruelly treated, although the owner of the farm was a serious loser by the reason of their incompetence.
There suffering from cold, hunger and exposure, could not have been experienced on a Virginia farm, excepting as the consequence of that kind of inefficiency best represented as "not knowing how to do anything." In such a place, people can hardly be destitute of food and warmth, unless they are also so destitute of common sense that they do not know how to use the means of comfort which are at hand. Two more impractical persons I never saw. Their condition in no way depressed them. He would talk of "property" and she of "society" as blithely as though they were possessed of every comfort, and had an assured future; they were as foolish as it is possible for grown-up people to be.
Before I saw them again, the oranges and salmon were gone. Rowley had found no employment, and nothing was left but for them to accept charity. They did this gratefully, and on giving her a small sum of money, I ventured to name to Mrs. Rowley one or two stores where it might be expended to advantage. "At Mr. —'s store," I said, "you will find some excellent herring."
"Herring!" she said, "I don't deny that they are savory, but as a peer through the vista of life—I mean the life that is to come—not eternity, but the shadowy vista of this world's futurity, and see my child a maiden fulfilling her duties upon the stage of existence, what would be her feelings if she were to know that her mother had eaten herrings?"
"I cannot imagine," I replied, "that is a fact of which she will be aware when she comes to maturity, that you ate herrings when she was four months old."
"You see," she rejoined, "in my juvenile days the family who lived next door to us were very unpoetical in their aspirations—they ate herrings. Another family near us were groveling in their ideas—they partook of the same diet. Other people in sight of us, who could not rise to gentility, fed upon herrings; I fancy they would prevent any rising of the mind to the heights it would seek on the wings of fancy."

"Let me beg you," I said, "for the sake of your husband and child, not to think of heights and poetry just now, when common sense is required."

"I am sure," she said, "that common sense is my strong point. I try to indate my husband with burning enthusiasm; the rewards of glory are before every man who will achieve the success which will encircle his name with a golden wreath of unfaded laurel."

Rowley now came in, disappointed. He had been after a situation, which some one had obtained before him.
"This is a mean world," he said, "I tell you what," to his wife, "I saw a dress at a milliner's for sixteen dollars, and I vowed if I got the place I would buy that dress the first thing!"
It turned out that while Mr. Rowley had been walking around the coveted dress, chatting and joking with street acquaintances, and smoking and trilling at the corner, some one else had taken the place he wanted, and could have had on my recommendation, if he had gone straight about his business. After some serious reproof at his neglect, I said—
"Now, Mr. Rowley, I would like to suggest a little as to the laying out of a small sum for the comfort of your family. Do you know any store conveniently near?"
"I'd rather go further off," he said; "stock in these suburban stores is limited; I couldn't find one of them that keeps preserved ginger."

"Don't think of such nonsense; try to see what is really necessary. Have you any bread, flour or meal?"
"Not a crumb, or dust!"
"Then take this money, get some milk for the baby, a chicken for your wife, and some good honest corned beef for yourself."

"Don't you think," asked Mrs. Rowley, "that there is something in corned beef that's apt to give us thickness of perception, and to undermine the elegance of our literary tastes?"
"Don't you think, Mrs. Rowley, that if we don't get anything to eat at all, it may undermine life itself?"
I tried many plans to convey, without rudeness, my contempt for her absurdities of expression. At last, I thought of making her repeat them. I asked him how he chanced to think of living on a farm.
"Why, sir," his wife replied, "I sighed for the calm of a rural atmosphere, and in many a day dream I glided where the frisking lambs, sporting on the crystallized meadows, snuffed the evanescent mountain dew."

Her husband looked at me, his eyes gleaming with pride. My plan, tried more than once, was a total failure, since she never failed to repeat her pompous periods, word for word.

Mr. Rowley continued to hunt situations without success. One morning, he said—
"I had good luck yesterday."
I supposed he had obtained a position, and said so. But he answered—
"I found a five dollar note."
"Very good, if the loser can hear of it."
"That would be bad," said he, "for it's all gone."
"I suppose you paid your rent and milk woman?"
It turned out that he had purchased some turtle soup, some fresh butter and a canned lobster—all luxuries in Richmond.
"Did you buy five dollars worth of these things?"
"No; I laid out the balance in a breast-pin for my wife, and some Roman candles for the baby."

How could such an incorrigible be helped? This man, boasting of his gentleness and his family, would remain in any and every presence, with his hat on, and when solicited a merchant for a situation, would sit half bent, hugging his knees by the hour, the picture of shiftless laziness.
After awhile, arrangements were made by which some of their relatives agreed to help them if they would come to Baltimore. Before they started, the child was to be baptised. I asked the mother what it was to be called.
"She said—'Gloria Warocola.'"

"Let me baptize her 'Marry,' or 'Heleen,' or 'Alice,' or some simple name."
"I've set my heart on the other. It is the name of the heroine in an Indian story; she was a very beautiful character."
I yielded. Next morning they departed. Mr. Rowley shook my hand and kissed it as I gave him the means for his journey. Mrs. Rowley was characteristic. Weeping, she sobbed out—
"The bleak-wastes-of-life-are-before-us—but my vision-of-offen-revert-to-you-as-the-greenest-spot-it-has-ever-been!"

How Exasperating.

A Codfish Hiller says he accidentally offended his wife recently. When he sat down to supper he noticed that she looked weary, and he asked what she had been doing. She said she couldn't think he could be. He said he couldn't. She said, look at this room. He said that he couldn't see as the room looked any different than usual. Then the wife broke out in tears and went away from the table with her face buried in her calico apron. The truth is, that room had been thoroughly cleaned that afternoon—the carpet taken up, shaken and put down again; all the paint washed, and all that, and that stupid man couldn't see the least change. What is the use of a woman working herself to death, anyhow?

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With Supplement.

SATURDAY, DEC. 8, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

Anonymous communications are not published.

ELEVENTH ANNUAL RE-UNION. The Quincy High School Association held their eleventh annual reunion on Wednesday evening at the Town Hall. It was as usual, one of the most fashionable events of the season. Notwithstanding the unpleasant state of the weather, a large assembly was present, who spent the hours in a pleasant and social reunion. Mr. Thomas Fenno, President of the Association, presided with ease and grace, and previous to announcing the orator of the evening, in a short speech thanked the large number who had braved the storm and were present to enliven the occasion.

The oration and poem were both superior productions, and reflect great credit on the authors. Our readers will find the poem on the first page of this paper, and we are in hopes that Mr. McGrath's friends will prevail on him to lay aside his modesty, and allow his excellent address to be published.

The poem was read by Miss Elsie Russell, and was given in a very clear and distinct manner, although her voice was hardly strong enough to fill the hall.

The music for this occasion was by Monk's Orchestra.

The following is the programme of the entertainment:

SELECTIONS BY ORCHESTRA.

OVERTEUR, Selected. CONCERT WALTZ, Mein Schoner, Gungler. (Tag in Berlin.)

CLARINET SOLO, Fluer de Alps. Performed by Mr. F. KACIA.

ORATION, Mr. Henry McGrath. POEM, Miss Abby I. Hall.

Read by Miss Elsie Russell.

Then followed dancing, and at 11 o'clock supper was served in the lower hall by D. Fred French.

SINGULAR MEETING. A rather remarkable coincidence occurred in this town on the Wednesday forenoon before Thanksgiving, when five gentlemen, Messrs. Charles P. Tirrell, Josiah Baxter, Daniel Nightingale, George Spear and Samuel B. Pope, each over three score years and ten, met by accident on Hancock street. After a social chat in which reminiscences of other days were talked of they concluded to call on Mr. John A. Newcomb, a gentleman of their own age. Here they renewed their interchange of good wishes and talked of their youthful days.

It was a remarkable circumstance which does not often occur, for so many elderly gentlemen who had been boys together, to meet without any intention of doing so, and we deem it worthy of note.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS. A very liberal offer has been made to the Sunday Schools connected with the Protestant Societies of this town, by Henry H. Faxon, Esq. He proposes to distribute equally among the schools, in proportion to the number of scholars in each, one thousand dollars, to buy Christmas presents for the scholars, provided each school raises one quarter of the amount they are to receive from him, in addition.

BEAUTIFUL. The exhibition of tableaux in the basement of St. John's Church, on Thanksgiving night, by the Italian boys from Boston was very fine. Seldom have more beautiful ones been seen in Quincy. We learn there is a prospect of having it repeated.

SURPRISE AND PRESENTATION. The members of Paul Revere Post of this town, were made the victims of a very pleasant and agreeable surprise, on Tuesday evening, at their new hall on Franklin street. Between nine and ten o'clock as the members were about completing the business of their usual weekly meeting, some seventy-five ladies and gentlemen applied for admission, and were welcomed in a very cordial and pleasant manner. Wraps and hoods were quickly laid aside, and settings provided. After a brief period of pleasant congratulations the assembly were called to order.

The members of the Post were then informed of the nature of the visit, which was to present them with an elegant clock, and chair of state. The presentation speech was made by Miss Ada Conant, and was rendered in a clear and concise manner. The clock, which was one of Mr. Pettengill's best, was a very beautiful and appropriate gift. The chair was a handsome black walnut one, upholstered in red velvet. Mrs. S. B. Turner and Mrs. J. M. Conant were the projectors of the affair, and through them the money was collected to purchase the articles.

After singing by some of the young misses, tables were laid and the company enjoyed a short time in testing the good things spread before them. Singing and dancing concluded the festival, and the whole affair was pronounced a perfect success.

MASONIC. At the annual meeting of the members of Rural Lodge of this town, on Thursday evening, Nov. 28, a young man named Frank Parker, employed in the office of Paymaster Nutter of the Old Colony Railroad in Boston, while visiting friends in Hyannis, was accidentally wounded by the discharge of a revolver which he was carelessly handling, the ball passing entirely through his right foot.

On Monday next New York will open a national jubilee colored baby show. The managers have advertised for two thousand black cherubs. Prizes are to be awarded to children and mothers.

Local Items.

Benjamin F. Curtis has gone into the lumber business at Brackett's wharf.

Mr. William Faxon, our veteran gunner, killed two wild geese in Quincy bay on Tuesday last.

Probate Court will be held at the Court room in this town on Wednesday next.

Mr. Stevens, of Lowell, has taken charge of the Wollaston hotel.

Our expressmen and teamsters generally are made happy once more by the opening of Neponset bridge.

Mrs. Thomas Pratt, a lady in her ninety-second year, braved the storm on Thanksgiving day and rode to Dorchester to enjoy the event with her daughter.

Geo. G. Souther has just placed a large window in front of Vezie's apothecary store. The sashes were manufactured at his mill.

The fine poem read by Miss Russell at the reunion will be found on the first page to-day.

Historical Quincy has something more than two presidents to boast of. It is the longevity of her citizens. A gentleman informs us that there are over one hundred persons now living in this town, over seventy years of age.

We learn from Messrs. Frederick & Field that the contract for the whole job above the foundation for the soldiers' monument, to be erected at Manchester, N. H., is \$15,710.

The little faces are eagerly pressed against the window pane, to see all the lovely dollies, trains of cars, pretty picture books and lots of all kinds of useful and fancy presents, that Elbridge Clapp displays in his window.

We learn through Charles P. Tirrell, that there are fourteen persons now living on Franklin street, who are over seventy years of age.

School Report.

The following is the report of the public schools of this town, for the month ending November 23d:

	Average	At Attendance	Per Cent of Daily Attendance	Visitors
High,	78	70	97	9
Adams,	325	307	94	33
Coddington, 184	177	96	7	122
Quincy,	150	142	94	33
Washington, 198	182	94	45	22
Willard, 397	380	96	33	29
Wollaston, 178	115	66	12	34
Total,	1450	1383	95	122

There were four cases of truancy in the Adams School, and one in the Washington.

The following grades had 99 per cent of attendance: B Grammar, Coddington, D Grammar, Wollaston. The A Grammar, Wollaston, had 100 per cent attendance.

There were no cases of tardiness in the A, B, C and D Grammar, Wollaston; B Primary, Willard; B and C Grammar, and D Primary, Coddington; B Grammar, Adams.

The A Grammar, Wollaston, has not had a tardy pupil since January 1st; the B Grammar, same school, since February; and the C Grammar since June.

Whole number of pupils in school since January 1st, 1,558.

A GOOD TIME. On Thanksgiving eve the members of Victoria Division, No. 45, Sons of Temperance, met at their hall on Granite street, and after the usual business meeting spent several hours in singing, dancing and games. A fine collation, was served during the evening. About midnight the members returned to their homes well pleased with the evening's entertainment, and hoped that this was but one of a series of sociables for the winter.

OFFICERS CHOSEN. At a meeting of Paul Revere Post, No. 88, G. A. R., on Tuesday evening following the officers were chosen for the year ensuing:—
Commander, S. B. Turner.
Senior Vice-Commander, C. A. Faxon.
Junior Vice-Commander, W. P. Martin.
Quartermaster, W. W. Pennington.
Sergeant, W. Dunbar.
Chaplain, Henry Chubbuck.
Officers of the Guard, A. A. Holt.
Adjutant, B. F. Billings.
Sergeant Major, J. M. Conant.

CANINE SACRIFICE. A dog, owned by Mr. Albert A. Spear, of East Weymouth, was recently left in charge of a carter's jacket, which his master threw on the ground while he was at work. Late in the evening, when he missed his jacket, Mr. Spear proceeded to the place where he left it, and there he found his dog guarding it, as he had done faithfully for several hours, although during a portion of the time there was a heavy rain.

WIST QUINCY ITEMS. The stone business is very dull, and it looks as though it was going to be a hard winter. Several firms who have employed from fifty to sixty men through the summer, are now doing business with less than one-fourth of that number.

The store keepers still stick to the plan lately adopted, and close their stores each evening at the allotted time.

The large dwelling house on Cemetery street, being built by Messrs. Chas. L. and Leone C. Badger, is nearly completed. It is a handsome structure, and is suitable for two families.

The workmen at the quarry of Messrs. Churchill & Hitchcock are at present taking a vacation, as the boiler of the engine needed repairing.

The scholars of the Willard Grammar School are highly pleased with Mr. Brown, the new master.

LITTLE CHEEKY. Mr. John Mullen, who resides on Adams street, near Mrs. Jacob F. Eaton's in this town, raised some fine ducks, and a night or two before Thanksgiving some thieves cut the fastening from the shed door and helped themselves to six of the best ones out of the lot, leaving poor Johnny minus of a sumptuous repast.

Gen. Grant is an object of exceeding curiosity to foreigners.

President's Message.

On Monday, President Hayes sent his first annual message to Congress. We give below a summary of the document:

He holds that the pacification of the country should be completed and made permanent, and this he holds to be, until it is fully accomplished, the most important of national interests. This is the view of a broad and patriotic statesman, and will not fail to find favor with the great body of the people, who have no ignoble interest in perpetuating turmoil. To this pacification all parties were pledged by the resolution of their national conventions, and he has followed the course indicated in his inaugural address. Opinions differed as to the best measures to be adopted, and the methods as well as the administration have been subjected to severe criticism. He holds that to be already justified and vindicated by the results. The withdrawal of the army from the business of maintaining local governments in two States of the Union was not less a constitutional duty and requirement under the circumstances, than a needed measure for the promotion of national harmony.

On the general question of the resumption of specie payments at the time already fixed by law, he yields nothing to the clamor of the reactionists. He regards the faith of the nation as pledged to early resumption, and on that ground as well as for the reason that resumption is the shortest road to prosperity, he urges perseverance toward its accomplishment.

The question of the resumption of silver is next in order, and he shows clearly that he will not favor any legislation which shall unfavorably affect the public credit.

His faith in that coinage silver dollar, which will raise their current value materially above their commercial value. He is against the unlimited legal-tender of silver even for private debts, and against free coinage. With these reservations an experimental use of silver dollars is recommended, and little or no harm could be done by complying with the suggestion.

The President reaffirms and enforces with additional emphasis his views on Civil Service Reform, which he has formerly enunciated with so much clearness and force, and which have won to his support the best elements of the people. He calls to mind the fact that both the great political parties, in their national conventions, declared the necessity of reforms and made emphatic demands for their accomplishment.

The award of the commissioners in the matter of fisheries on the coast of the Dominion of Canada is referred to, but not commented upon. Our relations with Mexico are not quite in the best condition, owing to the prevalence of raids across the border.

The revenues of the Government during the fiscal year ending Jan. 30, 1877, were \$209,000,566.62. The total expenditures for the same period were \$238,000,088.35, leaving a surplus of \$30,940,577.77. This has substantially applied the requirements of the sinking fund for that year. The estimated revenues for the current fiscal year are \$265,500,000, and the estimated expenditures for the same period are \$252,430,643.72.

The total exports during the fiscal year, including coin, have been \$658,657,457, and the imports, have been \$492,057,540, leaving a balance of trade in favor of the United States amounting to \$166,609,917.77, the beneficial effects of which extend to all branches of our industry.

He recommends specific instead of ad valorem duties, a tax on tea and coffee which would yield \$12,000,000 a year, as a substitute for many vexatious imposts which produce but little revenue, and more vigorous measures for the prevention of frauds in the revenue service.

Prior to the first day of July last, the army was reduced to the maximum of 25,000 enlisted men, being a reduction of 2500 below the force previously authorized. Under the law it is now reduced to the cavalry regiments were recruited to 100 men in each company for service on the Mexican and Indian frontiers.

This reduces the infantry and artillery below the number authorized by law, and it is recommended that authority be given to recruit all infantry companies to at least 75 men, with power in case of emergency to increase the former to 100 and the latter to 122 men each.

We have six squadrons now engaged in the protection of our foreign commerce and other duties pertaining to the naval service. The total expenditures for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, were \$10,677,474.54. There are unpaid claims against the department, charged to the last year, which are presented by the report of the Secretary. The estimates for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1877, are \$10,210,232.95, exclusive of the sum of \$2,314,231 submitted for new buildings, repairs and improvements at the several navy yards. The appropriation for the present fiscal year, commencing July 1, 1877, are \$13,502,302.90.

The report of the Postmaster-General contains a full and clear statement of the operations and condition of the Post-office Department. The ordinary revenues of the department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, including receipts from the money order business and from official stamps and stamped envelopes, amounted to the sum of \$27,531,585.26, the additional sum of \$8,013,000 was realized from appropriations for various purposes, making receipts from all sources \$35,544,585.26. The total expenditures amounted to \$33,486,322, leaving an excess of receipts over expenditures of \$2,058,263.26.

The President urges legislation to relieve the Supreme Court of the present pressure of business. Also, recommendations are made as to the preservation of our timber lands, and the utilization of desert lands not irrigable; the completion of the National Monument at Washington; and the construction of a fire-proof library building; and some other objects. Considerable space is devoted to the affairs of the District of Columbia. It is advised that the National Government do generously whatever is requisite to make the capital of the nation "something more than a mere political centre." There are a few suggestive words as to the duty of the National Government to foster the education of the people, as the best security of its own permanence and prosperity.

THE WORK OF THE SPECIAL SESSION. It may be questioned if ever a legislative body did less work in the same period than Congress did in the seven weeks of the extraordinary session. The only bills which were passed by both Houses were the army appropriation bill for the current year and the naval deficiency bill. The Paris Exposition bill and the general deficiency bill were passed by the House and the Senate, but with amendments upon which the House did not act, so they practically failed in the present. The House passed bills re-monetizing silver and repealing the resumption act, but these measures did not receive any consideration in the Senate except the Finance Committee voted to report the silver bill with important amendments. The unfinished business will hold its place in the next session.

The public debt statement for November shows a decrease in the debt for the month of \$1,925,634.

For the Patriot.

Braintree.

On Wednesday of last week Mr. Jas. Genders, having returned to his home from the village, in attempting to alight from his carriage, fell from it and was so badly injured that the physician who was called thought it necessary that he should be taken to the hospital. At last accounts Mr. G. was doing as well as could be expected. His shoulder was broken and he was otherwise bruised.

Ross & French commenced work again on Monday last in their factory, and some of the cutters are getting the hang of the new shop of Holbrook, Hobart & Porter, which is nearly ready for business. We hope soon to have a general wake up in the boot business.

On Tuesday evening Rev. Mr. Phillips gave the second lecture of the Methodist course. His subject was, "Tramps," (we have them occasionally). The lecture was first-class.

On the same evening, Prof. J. B. Sewall, Principal of the Thayer Academy, delivered a lecture in Lyceum Hall, at the north part of the town, to a large audience. The manner in which he presented his subject, "A Day in Athens," impressed the fact upon his hearers that he had been there.

National Day of Thanksgiving.

The Convention in Chicago, Ill., October 24-27, adopted the following:

That we invite our sisters in the lands beyond the seas, in Canada, and in the distant Isles, to unite with us in the observance of the second Thursday in December, 1877, asking that a fuller reliance upon God and a more thorough union of earnest prayer may be secured; that will be the bulwark of strength which is so much needed in our work; and as the cause of intemperance is felt and deplored, the remedy may be sought and found through a united force of power in prayer which must and will prevail.

That the pledge of noon-day silent prayer by all the members of the W. C. T. Union be renewed and faithfully observed.

That the leaders of Prayer Meetings on that day be changed every hour, and topics for prayer be presented.

We recommend the following topics:

First.—The speedy restoration to health of Temperance Workers," as all around us earnest women are falling from the post of duty from physical inability to perform the labor. We would suggest that the hour from 2 to 3 p. m. be spent in earnest application for the above.

Second.—To ask God to increase our faith and to coöperate with us more fully to this cause; also to arouse Christian women more thoroughly to their responsibility in this Gospel Temperance Work.

Third.—That Pastors of Churches, Superintendents and Teachers in Sunday-schools, may have courage and strength to perform their duty in presenting this subject to churches with which they are connected.

Fourth.—That our homes and our sanctuaries may be thoroughly cleansed from this evil.

Fifth.—That mass meetings be held during the evening wherever practicable.

Sixth.—That all Pastors be urgently requested to make Temperance the subject of their discourse the previous Sabbath.

That the notice of this meeting be published in *Our Union*, and in all local papers.

PROBATE COURT. At a session of Probate Court held in Dedham, on Wednesday, Judge White presiding, the following wills were proved, and administrations granted, and appointments made:—

Amos Abbe of Medway, W. C. Clark, executor, bond, \$2000; Margaret Hanley of Weymouth, Andrew Hanley, executor, bond, \$5000; George Haven of Milton, Caroline H. Haven, executrix, bond, \$2000; Jonathan N. Sumner of Foxboro, James Capen, executor, bond, \$2000; Elisha Wild of Braintree, Caroline Wild, executrix, bond, \$3000; Joseph Carroll of Foxboro, L. B. Carroll, executrix, bond, \$2500; Mary A. Price of Canton, J. M. Everett, executor. Patrick Maguire as guardian of Lizzie and Arthur W. Blake, and E. C. Hayden as trustees of the estate of George B. Blake of Brookline, bond, \$750,000; Samuel Jenison as trustee of the estate of S. G. Perkins of Brookline, bond, \$100,000; Emory Grover as guardian of Samuel C. Richardson of Needham, a spendthrift bond, \$15,000.

STATE HOUSE NOTES. The returns of the Secretary of the Commonwealth show an increase in the number of dwelling houses in the State of 4404 against 5411 as last year reported; 66 towns report a decrease and 39 towns the same number as last year. An increase of 891 horses against a decrease of 2672 last year is reported; an increase of 1963 cows against 353 last year, and a decrease of 2581 sheep against 1991 last year. A decrease in the number of acres taxed of 19,236 against an increase of 14,671 last year is reported, and an increase of 4776 polls against 5081 last year.

The Old South Meeting House Fair in Boston, was opened on Wednesday evening and will continue to the 15th of the month.

Ewell & Co., have the Patent Safety Surprise Burner for sale.

Sunday Services.

CHRIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2:30 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:50 by Rev. Rufus P. Stebbins, D. D.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Preaching services at 10:30 A. M. conducted by Rev. J. B. Jones of South Weymouth. Sunday school immediately following.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:15 A. M. followed by Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Praise service at 7 P. M. followed by sermon.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by the Pastor. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 11:45 A. M. At 7 P. M. the Pastor will give his third Sabbath Evening Lecture to Young People. Theme, "Truthfulness." Prayer and Conference meeting Friday evening.

RELIGIOUS. Last Sunday Mr. Harvey W. Brown was taken into the Methodist Church at the Point, and his little son christened.

At the Baptist Church, at the Point, on the same day, Ira B. Newcomb and Mrs. Hammond became members of that church by being baptized.

JEWELRY STORE ROBBERED. The jewelry store of Mr. John Federhen, a resident of this town, who does business at 84 Tremont street Boston, was entered and robbed of property to the value of \$3000, last Monday night. Among the articles stolen were 18 American and Swiss watches, with several others belonging to customers, together with a lot of silver spoons of different sizes. The articles were in a case, and from indications it would seem that the job was done by young men who are not yet experienced in robbery.

DISTRICT COURT. The list this week contains an unusual quantity of "intoxicating liquors." We hope this will have no bad effect on the readers.

Edward Fraher of Weymouth, for unlawfully selling intoxicating liquors, was fined \$50 and costs; also given three months in the House of Correction. He appealed.

Thomas Dailey, of Weymouth, for unlawfully selling intoxicating liquors, was fined \$50 and costs.

Mary Madigan, of Randolph, for being drunk, was found not guilty and discharged.

Ansel French, of Randolph, for the illegal keeping of intoxicating liquors, was found guilty and fined \$50 and costs; also given three months at the House of Correction. He appealed.

In the case of Nathan A. Durgin, of Quincy, for an assault on Elihu A. Nightingale, from which an appeal was taken at the time, the appeal has been retracted, and the fine of \$25 and costs paid.

James H. Willis, of Braintree, for an assault on David Brainard Thayer. Sent to the House of Correction for three months, from which sentence he appealed to the Superior Court.

Henry H. Burrill, of Weymouth, for being drunk. Fined \$3 and costs.

SUPERIOR CRIMINAL COURT. Among the doings reported by the Grand Jury of Norfolk County at Dedham, on Thursday was the case of John Birmingham, of this town, who plead not guilty of an assault on John Haggerty, on the 21st of October last. They also found a bill against Michael Murphy for the murder of William Appleton at Quincy upon the 20th of September. The jury, having finished their year's services, were discharged from further duty. The Court comes in Monday next for the trial of cases.

Before breaking up, Freeman Lincoln in behalf of the jury, in a few well-chosen words, presented District-Attorney French with a very beautiful and costly easy chair. Mr. French made a most happy reply in returning thanks for the gift.

SCHOOL HOUSE DEDICATION. The new Mattapan School house in Milton was dedicated last week and brief addresses were made by J. Walter Bradley, Hon. Edward L. Pierce, Rev. A. K. Teale and Rev. William Coolidge Reed. The building is two stories high, with a frontage of 46 feet and a depth of 61 feet; the entire cost of the building being \$6125.

TWO SHOW CASES!

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Quincy, Dec. 8.

NOTICE.

The Scotchmen of Quincy and vicinity are requested to meet

at TEMPERANCE HALL, GRANITE ST., Dec. 10, 1877, at 7:30 P. M.

to elect their officers.

ANNUAL BALL.

A full attendance is requested.

Yours, P. W. DACKERS.

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German and Music.

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Reference by permission, Quincy, Dec. 1.

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WEEKLY ALMANAC.	FULL SEA	MOON
Month.	Year.	Set.
Saturday, Dec. 8,	1877	8.01 P.M.
Sunday, " 9,	1877	8.05 " "
Monday, " 10,	1877	8.10 " "
Tuesday, " 11,	1877	8.15 " "
Wednesday, " 12,	1877	8.20 " "
Thursday, " 13,	1877	8.25 " "
Friday, " 14,	1877	8.30 " "

First Quarter, Dec. 12th, 4.50 P. M.

SHORT RESTORED. One of the most successful surgical operations that has taken place in this town for some time, was performed on Monday last. Dr. Jeffries of Boston, assisted by Dr. Willard of the same city, removed from the left eye of Mrs. Abram Prescott, a cataract which had deprived her from seeing for nearly three years. The operation appears quite simple when done by skillful surgeons, and in this case did not take over twelve minutes to perform it. From the time the ether was administered, till the eyes were bandaged and the doctors ready to leave the house, it did not exceed twenty minutes.

The operation consisted first in raising the pupil of the eye from the socket, as far as convenient, by means of forceps, and then in cutting the skin over the ball of the eye at the top, with a knife made expressly for the business; then in removing a small portion of the coloring matter, so as to give room to work out the cataract, which in this instance was about one quarter of an inch in diameter, and in the centre about one-tenth of an inch in thickness. It was of a light pink color, soft and much like a piece of gelatin.

After a cataract has been removed, the eyes are covered with cotton wool and bandaged, which is required to remain in a week or more, according to the health and strength of the patient, the person to lie on the back during the time. The instance has never been known, says Dr. Jeffries, in which a second cataract has appeared on the eye.

Mrs. Prescott was born in Quincy, is twenty-three years old and in fair bodily health. Dr. Jeffries thinks she will be able to sit at the festive board on Christmas-day and see what she eats, a pleasure she has been deprived of for some time.

The bandage was removed on Thursday, the eyes washed, and the cotton wool replaced. At that time Mrs. Prescott could see, and if she does not get color inflammation in her eyes, there is no good reason why she will not enjoy herself the remainder of her days.

THE CATHOLIC FAIR. The following tables, which were left at the time the enclosed, were drawn at the entertainment on Thanksgiving evening:

ARTICLE.	NAME.
Shopping Bag.	George Fairclough
Do.	John Corcoran
Black Mark.	Michael Corle
Lady's G. Watch.	Amie Horan, Brookline
Picture of the Holy Family.	John J. Webb
Cosmetics.	Thomas Derry
Two Pictures.	Mrs. A. S. Vagel
Small Table.	Marianne F. Morynkan
Table No. 3.	Miss Margaret Murphy

At the of the Blessed Virgin. Wm. Garrity
Parlor Stove. John Meloy
Pair of Blankets. Mary Coulter
Gold Ring. Mary A. F. Morynkan

The ladies of the Unitarian Society of Hyde Park will hold their annual bazaar in the vestry of the Church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, of next week. Open from 2 to 10 P. M. Entertainment each evening. Supper from 7 to 9.

DEATHS. Mr. William A. Dean of the Hingham, was presented by his family, with triplets; three little girls. The first weighed 6-15 lbs; the third weighed 4-15 lbs; the third weighed 4-15 lbs. Since their birth one has died.

It is said that two of the children of Pennsylvania blacksmith, "One of six years, which weighs eleven pounds, and can neither walk nor speak. The other is a girl almost four years old, and is also very small, but a trifle heavier than her sister. She is similarly affected, the principal difference being that she has the partial sight of one eye. Her hearing is good. They are in perfect health, and as healthy as any of the family, and take great delight in being petted.

THE CLEANING. One trial of the Boston and Haul Mangle Soap will prove to you that for general cleaning purposes it is the best in the market. Ask your grocer for it.

In Memoriam.
The memory of LEVI MAX TUCKER, daughter of John H. and Sarah R. Tucker, who died in Watertown, Nov. 20th, 1877.

The lovely boy has passed from earth, and his claims could brighten; his name is a pure rhyme. To heaven is welcome light.

The one of us so beautiful, whose face was to be true, but he who summoned her away, and every word relieve.

The right of memory's friend, memory's rest alone; to make the happy in joyous strains, To bring the happy in joyous strains, And when a few short years have passed, We'll join thee on that shore, Where pain and sorrow never exist, Where joy flows down ever more.

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Letter from Washington.

December 4th, 1877.

The admission of Kellogg and Butler, within a few moments of each other, in the order named, seems, finally, to have resulted from a conviction on both sides that it was inevitable, and that to continue the fight longer, with the time fixed by the Constitution for opening the regular session close on their heels, would be at the expense of several important interests still waiting Senatorial action before the expiration of the extra session; hence the trace tacitly agreed to, so that a vote might be had.

Notwithstanding the efforts of the malignants to cast upon Grant's administration the odium of the loss of the Huron, it is now generally agreed that the navigating officer was immediately responsible for the disaster; and he has expiated his blunder, as far as one life can atone for 100, sacrificed to ignorance or carelessness or both. There is still a good deal of indignation heard that the vessel should have been ordered to sea or permitted to go, in the teeth of a furious gale with the danger signals flying all along the coast. The proposition to make some provision for the survivors and the heirs of those lost, by Congress, finds few to oppose it.

There resides in this city a father and mother whose oldest son was instantly killed a few years since, by the premature discharge of gunpowder used in blasting. The second, a naval officer, was lost at sea two years ago, and the third and only remaining son, also an officer, perished by the Huron disaster. The gentleman to whom the only daughter was betrothed, was killed by a railroad disaster while on his way to fulfil the contract. Such a case of successive bereavements is, happily, rare.

The veterans of the Mexican war are again pressing their claims for pensions in a vigorous way upon the attention of Congress; and at a meeting held here Saturday evening, the estimate of the number of the survivors furnished Congress last session, with this end in view or to defeat it, perhaps, by the Commissioner of Pensions, was dissected and made to appear in a very ridiculous light, and in a manner very creditable to the judgment, at least, of the Commissioner. Mr. Schurz refused to pay the expenses of the Fox delegation of Chiefs recently arrived here without invitation, on the ground that they had left their reservation without permission. Judging from the treatment accorded those preceding them, they would have been better off by just the cost of the visit, had they remained at home.

The weather is seasonably cold and the windows of the shops already have a holiday appearance. Troops of children, happy in anticipation, canvass the merits of the rivals for trade, while crowds of gaily dressed females spend money liberally, regardless of hard times.

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The Narrow Gauge Road.

Some six or eight weeks ago we informed our readers that a survey was being made through Quincy for a narrow gauge road from Boston to Duxbury. We have heard but little about it since, and if the enterprise is not dead it is being pushed forward quietly. The following is a brief outline of the route as surveyed:

The road will commence in Boston at Atlantic avenue, above the bridge at Fore Point Channel, foot of Congress street, cross the water and the Common-wealth flats to G street; then under South Boston by tunnel to Dorchester Bay and marsh, which will be crossed by a pile structure to Fox Point, below Savin Hill, and beyond by a similar structure, or rather a bridge across the Neponset river, several hundred feet east of the Old Colony track; and thence in nearly a straight line through the northerly part of Quincy, passing about 400 feet west of the mansion of Josiah Quincy; and thence across Black Creek and the Butler farm, west of the Mount Wollaston Cemetery and near the old pound, over Sea and Brackett streets, about 200 feet east of the gas house; thence across the Canal, also Pond and Washington streets, and passing down on the westerly side of West street to the Point, crossing the Weymouth Fore river with some 800 feet of bridge, and passing 150 feet west of Lord's Grove, through the village of North Weymouth to Hingham, passing about 100 feet west of the alms house; through Hingham village, on the east side of the South Shore road, to the Mill Pond bridge; thence, curving to the east, the line crosses near the head of the Hingham steamboat wharf, and continues across the River, some 600 feet south of Ringbolt Point to a point on the highway from Nantasket to Hull, about 500 feet east of the Rockland House. From this point it is contemplated to run a branch road to Hull. The main road will curve to the south, by the Rockland and Atlantic Houses to Pleasant beach, and from there to Cohasset and Duxbury.

The length of the road will be 40 miles; gauge, three feet. The tunnel under the hill at South Boston will cost about \$80,000, or about \$30 per foot. It will be built to accommodate a double track of the standard gauge. The projectors are confident that the road can be built for \$15,000 per mile, or \$600,000 altogether. Equipments and land damages they estimate to cost not over \$250,000 more, making \$850,000 as the total cost of the road.

A large patronage is anticipated, not only from summer travel, but from residents along the line of the road.

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The National Granite Bank
OF QUINCY, MASS.

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the National Granite Bank of Quincy, will be held in the Banking Rooms on TUESDAY, January 8th, 1878, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the election of officers, and the transaction of other business as may legally come before them.

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Two pounds PURE LARD, for 25 cents. QUINCY MARKET, No. 6 Granite Street.

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SILVER NAPKIN RINGS and FRUIT KNIVES,

Gold and Silver Thimbles,

PEARL, RUBBER, IVORY, GOLD and PLATED PENCILS,

Gold, Silver, Steel & Rubber Spectacles & Eye Glasses,

Gold and Plated Neck and Vest Chains,

CAKE BASKETS, CASTERS, BUTTER DISHES, PICKLE STANDS, NUT PICKS, ICE PITCHERS and CHILDREN'S CUPS,

Clocks, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Razors and Thermometers

AT PRICES TO CONFORM WITH THE TIMES.

Quincy, Nov. 28.

A. G. DURGIN & CO.,

Nice Toilet Soap, for 5c. a CAKE!

Splendid Toilet Soap, for 12c. a CAKE,

65 cents a BOX!

SOAPS!

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Also all Kinds of

TOILET and FANCY

Soap, at Proportionately Low Prices.

QUINCY, MASS.

Removal.

KEATING & SPEAR

Would announce that they have leased the Store recently occupied by J. H. VEAZIE, on HANCOCK STREET, together with the basement thereof, and now offer to the public their Stock of

New and Second-Hand Furniture,

Bedding, Paper Hangings, Hardware, PAINTS, OILS, &c.

We shall make a specialty of the CENTENNIAL SAFETY OIL, 160 fire test. We have a large number of patrons who have used it upwards of a year, and all pronounce it the BEST ILLUMINATING OIL manufactured. It is as clear as water, gives a white light, and is perfectly safe.

In FURNITURE, we shall keep a good assortment of BEDSTEADS, BUREAUS, SINKS, TABLES, CHAIRS, LOUNGES, &c.

We intend to give a large share of attention to PREPARED PAINTS, of which the last two or three years we have sold an immense quantity with entire satisfaction.

Being experienced in selling and handling HOUSE PAPERS and BORDER, we feel confident we can offer such PAPERS as will suit any that may desire such goods.

Our KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS will comprise Wash Tubs, Boards, and Benches, Brooms, Brushes, Skirt Boards, Pastry Boards, Clothes Pins, Rolling Pins, &c., &c.

In our STOCK OF HARDWARE can be found Nails, Screws, Brads, Tacks, Locks, Knobs, Bolts, Hooks, Hinges, Tools, Cutlery and HOUSE TRIMMINGS generally.

Window Glass, Putty, Putty Knives, Paint Brushes, Machine Oil, Machine Needles, Curtns and Fixtures. Curtn and Picture Cord and Tassels constantly on hand.

Our success in business the last seven years, we attribute to the very liberal patronage bestowed on us by the people of Quincy and vicinity; and we shall endeavor to give cash buying and moderate profits to merit it in future.

N. B. We are still Agents for the sale of COAL and WOOD for Cyrus Patch, and all orders left at our New Store will receive prompt attention.

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The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 8, 1877.

RATS. At the shoe factory of Canterbury & Haskell, in East Weymouth, rats have become so numerous and have done so much damage at times to their stock, that they have obtained a ferret to drive them off. When the little animal gets so he feels at home in the factory, he will make short work of clearing it of rats.

QUICK TIME. The Hingham Journal says: "A distinguished member of our town government attended the launch at Quincy, having been gone just one hour and ten minutes, and at an expense of only ten cents."

SOME CONFEDERATE BONDS AND NOTES. Assets of the bankrupt Bank of North Carolina were sold by auction in Raleigh on the 13th ult. One man paid \$6.70 for \$100,000 of treasury notes and \$3.40 for \$100,000 in bonds. Another bought \$100,000 worth of the notes for \$2.50 and \$25,000 of North Carolina war bonds for \$10.

OLEOMARGARINE is so largely sold in New York as real butter as to injure the trade in the genuine article, and the dealers in the latter are about to bring prosecutions in order to stop the practice, which is contrary to law.

FLOWERS are now nearly discarded as fashionable funerals in New York. The floral mania has been carried so far that much display is now considered vulgar.

THE SALARIES of the Philadelphia teachers have been reduced ten per cent. This makes a saving of \$126,374 on the yearly estimate.

THE GREATEST CAT RACE ever held in Belgium came off at Balcele the other day, there being 70 entries for the prize. The animals were all carried four miles out of town in baskets, and simultaneously released, whereupon they all ran home swiftly. Minette, a pretty white cat with a pensive eye, reached the town first, and won the first prize, a silver coffee-pot. Lolo, a big tortoise-shell, which had been made the favorite in the betting, jumped the course, and has not since been heard of.

THE COMING WINTER promises to be the most fearful known in England for many years. Everybody is cutting down expenses, and in London alone there are 42,000 fewer male servants on the tax list than two years ago. The coal trade is paralyzed, many of the great iron mills have closed, and strikes are frequent and general. Crime has already alarmingly increased, and much apprehension is felt throughout the kingdom.

CORK is coming into use in Germany as a filling for winter bed coverlets, in place of feathers. It is said to be not only lighter and cheaper, but decidedly warmer.

TIMOTHY HAY is now being carried by rail to Boston, from stations forty miles west of Chicago. The freight is \$80 a car load, and shippers are ordinarily able to stow nine tons of pressed hay in a car.

PLANS are being prepared for a first-class hotel to be built on the site of the present Marlboro hotel, Washington street, Boston. It will cover 15,000 feet, twice the size of the old hotel, taking in the old Lowell Institute property, and is estimated to cost \$200,000; five stories high, with an elegant stone front of seventy feet by 172 feet deep, which at the rear, with an L, is 104 feet in width.

THE ORIGINAL SECKEL pear tree, 125 years old, is said to be still standing on the Girard estate, near Point Breese, Philadelphia. This tree is now much decayed in the heart, and one side is entirely gone. It is about thirty feet in height and about two feet in diameter; and, although but a wreck of its former self, it still bears fruit.

A CONNECTICUT RIVER farmer plowed under a rank growth of clover, and then planted winter wheat, which harvested 27 1/2 bushels to the acre. A neighbor, whose land adjoined the above plot, planted the same kind of seed, but without fertilizing with clover, and obtained a fair crop of wheat straw that contained no grain.

AN IMMENSE BRIDGE. One of the most notable examples of bridge building enterprise in the world is that just completed by the North British Railway Company across the estuary of the river Tay. The structure is nearly two miles long, consisting of 85 spans, varying in length from 67 to 245 feet. In the central part the bridge has a clear height of 88 feet above high water. The thirteen largest spans, forming about a third of the structure, are placed over the navigable part of the river. They rest on fourteen great piers, the foundations of which are immense caissons. From the top of the highest girder to foundation, the structure of stone, concrete and iron is not less than 150 feet high. The work on this great structure was commenced in 1871, over six years ago. It is built for all time.

THE SPELLING MATCH. It is reported that a spelling match in which the leading men of a goodly town in Maine were engaged, came to grief over the orthography of "mosquito." It would be interesting to learn what original ingenuity was brought to bear upon a new combination of letters which could possibly be declared inadmissible, since dictionaries give authority for no less than fourteen spellings of the word in question, viz: Mosquito, musquito, moschetto, moschetto, muschetto, musketto, muscheto, muschetto, musketo, muskito, musqueto, musqueto, and musquitto.

IT TAKES a bright-eyed Western Yankee to do something very small. A workman in Janesville, Wis., has engraved on one side of a gold dollar the Lord's Prayer, the Ten Commandments, the Golden Rule, a text from St. Paul, his own name and date. A man with strong eyes can read every word without the aid of a magnifying lens.

MADAME BONAPARTE of Baltimore—deserted by old Jerome Bonaparte—now over ninety years of age, has become very feeble, and does not venture out of doors. There are apprehensions that her romantic and most eventful career is fast approaching its close.

A LONDON LETTER says: "Champagne Charley" is dead. Charles Thorpe was born 34 years ago. His father left him \$50,000 a year. Being clever he sought the society of literary men, and, liking a social glass, his means enabled him to choose champagne. Hence a few years ago, after his exploits had been told so often as to make him comparatively well known in London, some one embalmed him in verse, and "Champagne Charley" was long a favorite song in the music halls. He never liked it, and always denied that he was the original of the song, and his friends deny it to-day, in deference to his memory. But it is true, nevertheless.

EDUCATION. If you can afford nothing else, give your children an education. A trained mind goes through life, cannot be stolen, and is not convertible. Good schools, good books and general reading matter—get them these, if they have to do without other things, and secure a right direction to educated mind, give them by word and example good principles. Let them grow up with the idea that it is not needful to be rich, famous or influential; but that it is essential to do what is right.

JAMES FAULKNER,
Florist and Landscape
GARDENER.
P. O. Box 128 East Milton, Mass.
All orders promptly attended to.

BOQUETS, WREATHS AND FLORAL DESIGNS
MADE TO ORDER.

Also—Stove Greenhouse and Hardy Plants, in large variety.
Mosses, Ferns, and Ornamental Foliage, Plants suitable for Ferneries and Hanging Baskets.
Fruit and Ornamental Trees
IN VARIETY.
GRANITE AVENUE, NORTH QUINCY, MASS.
January 20.

FUNERAL AND FURNISHING UNDERTAKER.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform the public that he is fully prepared to execute all orders in the Furnishing Undertaker's business, at his establishment.

No. 51 Hancock Street.
Constantly on hand, a FULL ASSORTMENT of
CASKETS, COFFINS,
Robes and Habits.

Having had several years experience in the Undertaking business, the subscriber hopes by strict attention to the wants of all callers to merit a share of patronage.
JOHN HALL.
Quincy, March 10.

A large stone trough, cut from Quincy granite, has been procured as an accompaniment to the new well in the school-house yard, by the authorities of Randolph.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher had an audience of five hundred and fifty at the opening of the lecture course in Randolph last week.

It becomes more and more apparent that the engineers' strike on the Boston & Maine railroad last winter was a foolish affair, most of the men being out of work from that time to this.

A man has been arrested in New York, for having in his possession one of the bonds stolen from the safe of Flint & Savels, in Stoughton, about two years ago. It was of the denomination of \$1000, and registered. The man was trying to dispose of it for \$250. He was recognized by the officers as an old offender, having served one or two terms in the State's Prison.

SHOOTING. Duck-shooting is quite a favorite pastime at Ponkapog Pond, Randolph, being indulged in by not only gunners living in this vicinity, but by parties from Boston. The shooting is not confined to duck alone. Geese fly over in large numbers, and they also settle into the pond. When such game are in sight and the chances are good, high are the spirits of him who "draws bead" on his victim and secures the prize. From what we can learn, the sport has been rather exciting.—*Norfolk County Register.*

Summary of News.

Susan B. Anthony has been elected to the office of constable in Mooseman's district in Colorado.

The public lands were sold or otherwise disposed of, last year, to the extent of 4,788,000 acres.

Half a ton of pure gold is used annually for filling the teeth of the people of the United States.

Sumpter, Florida, will ship 2,000,000 oranges this year.

The deposits in the savings banks of the United States are estimated at \$1,500,000,000.

There were shipped to England from Montreal, Nov. 8th, 24,000 dozen of eggs.

A Virginia sheriff asked a murderer if he wanted to make a speech on the gallows, and he replied, "Guess not; it looks like rain, and I don't want to get wet. Go on with the hanging."

Mr. E. E. Williamson, formerly of Quincy, has been appointed to a clerkship in Charlestown Navy Yard. His duties commence at once.

William B. Smith of New London recently caught a seventeen pound lobster near Nantucket.

MILLINERY.

S. H. HUSSEY

INVITES attention to the Desirable Assortment of NEW GOODS, just received.

ALL THE NEW SHAPES IN

Hats, Bonnets and Frames,

to which will be added Fresh Selections, and a Large Variety in

Flowers, Feathers, Velvets,

SATINS, SILKS, RIBBONS, &c.,

WILL BE FOUND TO SELECT FROM.

Grateful for past favors, a continuance of patronage is desired.

All orders satisfactorily executed.

Opposite Hotel, Hancock Street.

Quincy, Oct. 6.

New Millinery Goods

Miss C. S. MILTON

INVITES the attention of the Ladies to her large and BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT of

FALL & WINTER MILLINERY,

CONSISTING OF

Hats, Frames, Feathers, &c.

STAMPING for Braiding and Embroidery done at short notice.

Thanking the Ladies for their past liberal patronage, she is desirous of a continuance of their favors.

C. S. MILTON.

Over the Store formerly occupied by John H. Veazie, Apothecary.

Quincy, Oct. 20.

Ladies!

THE undersigned wishes to inform the Ladies of Quincy and vicinity, that she has opened a

Dress-Making Establishment,

in the New Hotel known as the

"ROBERTSON HOUSE,"

where she will be pleased to suit all the Ladies who may favor her with their patronage.

MRS. F. A. LAPHAM,

Formerly of Boston.

Quincy, May 5.

THE MOST WONDERFUL DISCOVERY OF THE Nineteenth Century.

DR. S. D. HOWE'S ARABIAN MILK CURE FOR CONSUMPTION.
And all disease of the THROAT, CHEST and LUNGS.

The only Medicine of the Kind in the World. A Substitute for Cod Liver Oil. Cures Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Croup, Asthma, Diphtheria, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Bleeding Lungs and Consumption. Also,

DR. S. D. HOWE'S Arabian Tonic Blood Purifier, Which DIFFERS from all other preparations in its IMMEDIATE ACTION upon the

LIVER, KIDNEYS AND BLOOD. Purely vegetable. Purifies the Blood, cures Pimples, Pin Worms, Old Sores, Scrofulous Diseases, Female complaints, Diabetes, Boils, Tumors, Cancers, &c., and FILLS the VEINS WITH PURE, RICH BLOOD. For nervous debility, lost vitality, (caused by indigestion or otherwise), and

"Broken Down Constitutions," in either sex. "I challenge the 19th century" to produce its equal. It builds you right square up. Every bottle is worth its weight in gold. Also

DR. S. D. HOWE'S

Arabian Liver Pills,

Free from calomel, cures Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Heartburn, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Chills, Fevers, Constipation, gives quick action to the Liver, and regulates the Bowels, without pain or weakness and a preventive of all malarial diseases.

Consumptives

Should use ALL THREE of the above medicines.

Price of MILK CURE and TONIC,

Each \$1 per Bottle.

PILLS 25 Cents per Box.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN H. VEAZIE, DRUGGIST,

Sole Agent for Quincy, Mass.

DR. S. D. HOWE, Proprietor,

Nov. 3, 1877. 122 Liberty Street, New York.

H. FRENCH, JR.,

House and Sign Painter,

IN EVERY VARIETY.

Washington Street, Quincy.

Feb. 10

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IRA LITCHFIELD,

Carpenter and Builder,

PEARL STREET,

SOUTH QUINCY.

Feb. 14

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FREDERICK & FIELD,

GRANITE DEALERS

AND CONTRACTORS FOR

Granite Fronts, Monuments,

—AND—

CEMETERY WORK.

All kinds of Granite furnished.

Quincy, Aug. 4.

tf

Quincy Bakery.

THE subscriber would inform the citizens of Quincy and adjoining towns that he will continue to manufacture at his establishment

Bread, Cake, and Pastry,

and all other articles usually found in any Bakery. Keeps constantly on hand all kinds of

Plain and Fancy Crackers.

GINGER SNAPS, &c.

Hot Rolls every Evening.

WEDDING CAKE furnished to order at Boston prices. CHOICE FAMILY FLOUR for sale at lowest cash prices.

Quincy, Jan. 21.

WM. A. HODGES.

tf

JUST RECEIVED,

A GOOD LINE OF

German Worsteds,

CARDBOARD, MOTTOES,

Marking & Embroidery Books,

Also—a nice lot of

EDGINGS, INSERTIONS,

Laces and Ribbons.

All will be sold CHEAP for Cash—at

N. B. FURNALD'S,

Washington Street.

Quincy, Feb. 10.

tf

RALPH LOWE

RETURNS his thanks to the public generally for their liberal patronage, and respectfully solicits a continuance of the same.

All orders left will receive prompt attention.

Collar and Harness Making,

—AND—

Carriage Trimmings

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES

N. B. Every article in the trade made to order, and REPAIRING done in the neatest manner and at the most reasonable rates.

Quincy, Aug. 26.

tf

Pure Cider Vinegar,

30 cents per gallon,

For sale by

HENRY CHUBBUCK.

—ALSO—

Two Express Wagons,

AND HARNESSES.

One Large Ice Chest, Meat Bench, Scales, and everything needed for fitting up a Provision Store.

At house near Universalist Church.

Quincy, Aug. 11.

tf

LIVERY STABLE.

THE subscriber would respectfully inform his patrons that he is now located at his

NEW STABLE ON HANCOCK STREET,

REAR OF MESSRS. TIRRELL'S SHOP,

where he is prepared to furnish Horses and Carriages at short notice.

He would take this opportunity to thank the public for their liberal support, and hopes by furnishing good teams at reasonable prices to continue to receive their patronage.

JOHN HALL.
Quincy, June 20.

tf

FRENCH'S

LIVERY STABLE,

(FIRST-CLASS.)

WASHINGTON STREET,

QUINCY.

ELEGANT VEHICLES AND FINE HORSES furnished at the most reasonable rates.

Hacks, with careful drivers, supplied at short notice.

Boarding Horses, by the week, a specialty. Stabling for Horses, with careful grooms.

WASHINGTON M. FRENCH.

Quincy, October 25.

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JOHN CURLEY,

HORSE SHOER,

AND JOBBER.

Particular attention given to Shoeing tender-footed and interfering Horses.

Granite Street, Quincy.

Near Chubbuck's Store.

Quincy, Sept. 4.

tf

PETER MCCONARTY'S

Quincy & Boston Express.

Office in Boston, No. 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

Order Boxes in Quincy, at the Stores of Daniel Baxter & Co., H. W. Gray, and Ewell & Co.

Leave Quincy at 9 A. M. Leave Boston at 2 P. M.

All orders promptly attended to.

Quincy, Jan. 13.

tf

WILLIAM CARRITY'S

(Formerly Farnald & Shea's)

Quincy & Boston Express.

THE subscriber having purchased the good will of the Route recently managed by Messrs. Spear & Ramsdell, is prepared to convey Freight and Parcels between Quincy and Boston, and hopes by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

N. B. Furniture Moved and Parties accommodated at short notice.

Leaves Quincy at 9 o'clock, A. M., and Boston at 2 1/2 P. M.

Quincy—Orders may be left at Whitney & Nash's, D. Baxter & Co., E. Bent's, and at the Stable.

Boston—134 Washington Street, 3 Devonshire Street, 4 1/2 South Market Street, and 2 Faneuil Hall Square.

Quincy, Sept. 7.

tf

M. HARTNEY'S

Quincy & Boston Express.

Business Transacted One-Fourth Less than Usual Price.

LEAVE Quincy at 10 o'clock, A. M., and Boston at 3 o'clock, P. M.

Orders in Quincy may be left at his residence on School Street, at the Stores of Daniel Baxter & Co., C. Crane, E. Clapp, at E. B. Souther's, and at P. O. Box 221.

N. B. Furniture Moved with care and responsibility. Money Orders promptly attended to.

Offices in Boston, 43 North Market Street, 10 Faneuil Hall Square, and at 130 and 132 Kneeland Street.

Quincy, Sept. 15.

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WINSLOW'S

Quincy & Boston

Railroad Express.

(Formerly Ford's Express.)

BOSTON OFFICES—34 Court Square, 59 1/2 Kilby Street, and at 77 Bedford Street.

ORDER BOX, at 10 Faneuil Hall Square.

ORDER BOXES—At E. B. Souther's and at the Depot, Quincy.

Leave Quincy at 8 o'clock and 1 o'clock. Boston 11 and 4 o'clock.

Quincy, Jan. 6, 1877.

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Valuable Real Estate

IN QUINCY,

FOR SALE.

THE following described parcels of land situated in Quincy, and belonging to the Estate of the late GRIDLEY TOTMAN, viz.:

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 8, 1877.

Steam Heat for Villages.

The most economical method of heating factories and large buildings has long since been conceded to be by the employment of steam. Enterprising builders have suggested the application of the same heat to blocks of houses and even to small towns. We now hear that a company is about to undertake the work of supplying heat to houses, churches, factories, shops and offices of Lockport, N. Y. One set of workmen is sufficient for each stack of boilers, whether a single building or a whole block is to be heated. How to carry the steam through pipes of non-conducting material, and how to introduce it into the house is a perfectly well-understood problem. All of the principles involved in steam-heat have long since been known: the only thing wanting is sufficient faith on the part of capitalists to insure its adoption everywhere.

Worth Remembering.

Do not laugh at the drunken man reeling through the street. However ludicrous the sight may be, just pause and think. He is going home to some tender heart that will throb with intense agony; some doting mother, perhaps, who will grieve over the downfall of her once sinless boy; or it may be a fond wife whose heart will almost burst with grief as she views the destruction of her idol; or may be a loving sister who will shed bitter tears over the degradation of her brother, shorn of his manliness and self-respect.

Rather drop a tear in silent sympathy with these hearts so keenly sensible and tender, yet so proud and loyal that they cannot accept sympathy tendered them either in word, look or act, although it might fall upon their crushed and wounded hearts as the summer dew upon the withering plants.

Conjugal Affection.

A young woman of engaging personal appearance, says the Burlington *Hackeye*, who came here last week from Creston, recently announced that she was going to open a barber-shop on North Hill. The very next day, each married woman on North Hill surprised her husband, whose many virtues she had long admired, with a neat little present, consisting of a razor, lather-brush and strop. And now, as often as a North Hill man comes home, the wife of his bosom puts her arms around his neck and rubs her downy cheek against his face in all apparent innocence and affection, but if his cheek is smoother than when he went away from home in the morning, she fans him with the rolling-pin until he has to wear his hat on whichever lump it will fit best.

Reading.

Let us take time for reading. It will never come if we wait to have every speck of dirt we see removed from every article. We can always find something else to do, and conscientious housekeepers, with little taste for mental pursuits, are apt to make great blunders. "The life is more than meat, and the body more than raiment," which means that you yourself, with all your immortal faculties, are of vastly more importance than your household affairs. No kind of labor is degrading if done from a worthy motive, and no motive can be nobler than the womanly desire to make a pleasant home. But our home can not be properly attractive and profitable to our families if we ourselves are dull and harassed. It is necessary that good housekeepers should read and reflect, and listen and converse.—*Exchange*.

Business Training.

It takes a sound body to make a sound mind. Work is not vulgar. So long as the brain needs the juices of the body, so long will hard work be the fundamental element in the development of the mind. Business is eminently fit for a man of genius, and to earn a livelihood is the best way to sharpen one's wits. Besides business affairs offer better opportunities at present than the so-called professions. Therefore our youth should be thoroughly and practically trained for business, in order that they may succeed and become a credit to whatever calling they may adopt. At the same time they should be educated not to despise labor; for after all, it is only by work that we achieve any success worthy of the name.

How to Conduct a Courtship.

Don't be too sudden about it. Many a girl has said "no" when she meant "yes," simply because her lover didn't choose the right time and pop the question gently.

Take a dark night for it. Have the blinds closed, the curtains down, and the lamp turned almost out. Sit near enough to her so that you can hook your little finger into hers. Wait until conversation begins to flag, and then quietly remark:

"Susie, I want to ask you something."

She will fidget around a little, reply "yes," and after a pause you can add:

"Susie, my actions must have shown—that is you must have—I mean you must be aware that—that—"

Pause here for a while, but keep your fingers firmly locked. She may cough and try to turn the subject off by asking you how you liked the circus, but she only does it to encourage you. After about ten minutes you can continue:

"I was thinking, as I came up the path to-night, that before I went away I should ask you—that is, I would broach the subject nearest my—I mean I would know my—"

Stop again and give her hand a gentle squeeze; she may give a yank to get it away of she may not. In either case it argues well for you. Wait about five minutes and then go on:

"The past year has been a very happy one to me, but I hope that future years will still be happier. However, that depends entirely on you. I am here to-night to know—that is to ask you—I mean I am here to-night to hear from your own lips the one sweet—"

Wait again. It isn't best to be too rash about such things. Give her plenty of time to recover her composure, and then put your hand on your heart and continue:

"Yes, I thought, as I was coming through the gate to-night, how happy I had been; and I said to myself that if I only knew you would consent to be my—that is, I said if I only knew—if I was only certain that my heart had not deceived me, and you were ready to share—"

Hold on; there's no hurry about it.—Give the wind a chance to sob and moan around the gables. This will make her lonesome and call up all the love in her heart. When she begins to cough, and grow restless, you can go on:

"Before I met you this world was a desert to me. I didn't take any pleasure in going blackberrying and stealing rare ripe peaches, and it didn't matter whether the sun shone or not. But what a change in one short year! It is for you to say whether my future shall be a prairie of happiness, or a summer fallow of Canadian thistles. Speak, dearest Susie, and say—say that—that—"

Give her five minutes more by the clock, and then add:

"That you will be—that is, that you will—I mean that you will—be mine!"

She will heave a sigh, look up at the clock and over the stove, and then as she slides her head over your vest pocket she will whisper:

"You are right—I will."

There's Room Above.

The advice to the law student that "there's plenty of room above," contains a truth of very wide application. "There's plenty of room above" in every profession and avocation. The difficulty is, not to find the higher positions, but to find men competent to fill them. A manager of a business establishment remarked to me the other day that they ought to have a good man in a certain position. "Why don't you get one?" I said. "That's the difficulty," he replied. "If I knew where to get the right man I would discharge the one I have immediately." This is the general difficulty. Every avocation is looking after the right kind of men, and they are hard to find. Let young men remember this, and make themselves masters of their business, and they will find no difficulty in securing positions.

NORFOLK MUTUAL Fire Insurance Company, OF DEDHAM, MASS.

INCORPORATED IN 1825.
Cash Assets, January 1, 1877, \$255,977.01
Premium Notes, 509,626.02
Total Available Assets, \$765,603.03
Amount at Risk, 15,162,217.00

This Company insures Buildings and Household Furniture only, STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN, and has NEVER paid less than 50 per cent dividend on every five year policy that has expired since its incorporation.
IRA CLEVELAND, Pres't and Treas'r.
PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.
HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.
Quincy, Sept. 22.

Budget of Fun.

"Yes," said she, "a dish of ice-cream relaxes the muscles of my heart, but two dishes—oh, two dishes!—make me feel as though I could love on and on forever." So he ordered the waiter bring on another dish, and counted on the cost.

The girl with the seal-skin sacque looks complacently upon the approach of winter, while the maiden without one of those garments is engaged in circulating the report that they are to be extremely unfashionable this year.

He was from the country, and he came to town for the first time. As he looked at the telegraph wires, he said, "Why do you make your wire fences so high?"

Mr. X— is a widower. Since the time he lost his wife, whom he adored, five years ago, he has not left off looking every day at the locket containing the hair of his dear and austere companion, and the other day he had a visit from a friend at the moment when he was dyeing the lock of hair of the much-loved one. "What are you doing?" asked his friend. "You see well enough I am dyeing this hair an ash-blond, because this color is much worn now. I wish the hair of my 'sainted Maria' to be always in fashion."

St. Thomas church, in New York, must be the place where the cats go to meeting.

A sweet thing in combs—honey.

"Will Justice be cheated?" asks a New York paper.

Bless you, if the Goddess should venture into New York she would be swindled out of her sword and scales, and be paraded on Broadway, placarded with "Pity the poor blind girl," in less than half an hour.

A dealer advertises "Novelties in pocket-books." Well, we should like a little change in ours.

NEW Photograph Studio.

Mr. A. Frank Russell,

(Successor for the past year with Messrs. French & Bass, Photographic Artists.)

HAS opened a NEW and FIRST-CLASS PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO in the NEW BUILDING lately erected by Dr. French, located on

Chestnut Street, opposite Congregational Church, and would invite his old patrons and citizens generally to call and inspect his new and beautiful rooms.
Quincy, Sept. 15. tf

Good News! Good News!!

THE BEST RANGE

Ever Offered to the Public!!

Over One Hundred in use

In Quincy and Braintree,

And all give PERFECT SATISFACTION.

Call and see them, at

CHAS. F. PIERCE'S.
Quincy, Jan. 29. tf

STOVES!

The Best Stove in the Market!!

G. W. WALKER'S FRANCONIA

Double Oven Range,

Warranted to BAKE IN BOTH OVENS AT THE SAME TIME, and FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT.

Also,—Sole Agents in Quincy for the celebrated

Stewart Parlor Stoves.

Also,—Repair pieces.

E. S. FELLOWS.
Quincy, Oct. 13. tf

FRUIT JARS.

Mason's Fruit Jars,

The Best Jars for Canning Fruit in use.

For sale by
THOMAS E. FURNALD.
Quincy, July 14. tf

CHEAP!

Ladies' Merino Undervests and Pants,

At the Very Lowest Prices.

Twenty Dozen just received from Auction,

By
E. CLAPP.
Quincy, Oct. 20.

Insurance Agency,

Established in Quincy in 1840

W. PORTER.

INSURANCE EFFECTED in reliable and safe STOCK and MUTUAL OFFICES—by
W. PORTER & CO.,

At No. 27 STATE STREET, BOSTON.
Residence, QUINCY, corner Adams and Hancock Streets
Quincy, April 26. 3m

CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPANY,

OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON,) IS NOW PAYING
A Dividend of 80 per cent. on seven year Policies, 60 per cent. on 5, and 50 per cent. on all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Barns and contents, on the most favorable terms.
Cash Assets, Jan 1, 1877, \$260,335.23
Deposit Notes, in force, 309,058.52
Total, \$569,393.75
Liabilities,—Unsettled claims for losses, \$3,840.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President.
J. W. PEABODY, Sec. and Treas.
BOSTON OFFICE—No. 42 Congress Street.
JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.
Quincy, Aug. 29. tf

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE Mutual Fire Insurance Company, OF WEYMOUTH.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND OTHER BUILDINGS NOT EXTRA HAZARDOUS, and their contents, at as low rates as at any other reliable Company

Amount at Risk April 1, 1873, \$2,035,704.00.

Cash Assets, \$75,923.01
Deposit Notes, 76,428.57
Total available Assets, \$152,351.58

N. L. WHITE, President.
ELIAS RICHARDS, Sec'y.
Wm. B. DUGGAN, Agent, Quincy.
Weymouth, Aug. 1. 1y

JOHN HARDWICK & CO. Real Estate & Insurance AGENTS.

Granite Street, Quincy.
Insurance secured in any reliable Office.
Quincy, Feb. 10. tf

DORCHESTER. Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

P. O. NEPONSET, Mass.
Ward 16, Boston, Mass.
E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.
Amount Insured by 6,334 Policies, \$11,192,964.00
On Real Estate, 9,298,367.00
On Personal, 1,894,597.00

Cash Assets.
Real Estate (Brick and Stone Building), \$24,000.00
Loaned on Mortgages, 23,500.00
Corporation Note—Boston and Lowell R. R., 5,000.00
National Bank Stock, 14,536.00
Rail Road Stock, 42,570.00
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, 20,883.00
Policies in Course of Collection, 11,912.26
Deposit Notes, Uncollected, 500.00
Interest Due and earned to date, 1,939.50
Cash on Deposit N. E. Trust Co., 26,466.19
do. in Eliot National Bank, 2,902.11
Furniture of Office, Halls, and Stores, 1,000.00
Total, \$175,181.06

Amount of Deposit Notes available (with-out assessments) to pay losses, 164,000.00
\$339,181.06

\$75,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$239,181.06 available surplus over amount required to re-insure all our risks.
The Company continues to insure the safer class of property at current rates, and to pay Return Premiums on terminated policies at 40 per cent. on five-year policies, 25 per cent. on three years, and 15 per cent. on one year policies.
Neponset, Feb. 12. tf

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

CASH FUND, November 1, 1877.

\$365,000.00.
Surplus over Re-Insurance, over \$160,000.00.

50 per cent. dividend paid on all expiring 5-year policies, 30 per cent. on 3 years, and 20 per cent. on all others.

This Company has been in operation over 26 years, has paid over \$1,200,000 in losses (456,868.25 of which was at the "Boston fire," of Nov. 1872) and over \$500,000 in dividends to policy-holders.

None but the safer classes of risks taken.
I. W. MUNROE, Pres. and Treas.
CHARLES A. HOWLAND, Sec'y.
Quincy, Nov. 1, 1877.

DEDHAM MUTUAL Fire Insurance Company, DEDHAM, MASS.

Incorporated 1837.

INSURES STRICTLY ON THE MUTUAL PLAN. The company has a larger ratio of Assets, to amount at risk, than any other Company doing a Mutual business, in the State.
It is paying 33 1-3 per cent. dividend on all expiring One and Two Years' Policies, and 50 per cent. on all others.

GEO. B. FAUNCE, President.
PRESTON R. MANSFIELD, Sec'y.
DIRECTORS: Ira Cleveland, Hon. Waldo Colburn, E. N. Taft, L. H. Kingsbury, Dedham; Wm. Mansfield, Canton; E. J. Bishop, Dorchester; George B. Faunce, Boston Highlands.
HORACE B. SPEAR, Agent.
Quincy, Sept. 22. tf

Receipts, Wit, &c.

BREAKFAST CAKE. About a pint of sour milk and two tablespoonfuls of sour cream, teaspoonful of soda; stir in buckwheat flour enough to make moderately thick batter, and bake in a cake tin.

VIRGINIA CORN DODGER. One pint of milk, one spoonful of lard, one of sugar, three scanty pints of yellow meal. Work it well; make up in cakes about the size and shape of a Boston cracker, and fry in hot lard till a nice brown.

Sage advice from the *Dunbury News*: If you are going to slide down a plum tree at this season of the year, you had better carry your pants in a bundle under your arm.

A fond High street mother addressed her son-in-law and daughter: "Be happy, my children; you are now one." She considered them individually, however, when she presented her board bill to them.

The Toledo *Blade* asks, "How to do up shirts?" Well, if you have not got more than two you can do them up in a brown paper pocket parcel when you travel.

There are certain schools where children are taught like parrots. They are called preparatory schools. The pupils are exercised in pretty polly-syllables.

Extreme cases of headache have been cured in half an hour by taking a teaspoonful of finely-powdered charcoal in half a tumbler of water. It is an innocent yet powerful alkali.

A little girl, where a minister had been invited to dinner, was privately placed on her good behavior. Finding a lull in the conversation at the table, she folded her hands and said: "O God, please pass the butter."

A little Reno boy watched the process of cleaning chickens for dinner the other day with great interest, and especially the ingredients found in the crop of the fowl. At dinner his mind run on that and more serious subjects, until he remarked, "Ma, if I should go to heaven now the Lord would find green corn in my stomach."

ISAIAH WHITE & CO.

DEALERS IN
CHOICE FRUIT,
OF ALL KINDS,
Both Foreign and Domestic.

Jellies and Preserves. CANNED GOODS, &c.

100 Tremont Street, Boston.
(Under Horticultural Hall.)
Sept. 1. tf

FORD BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF
WILLIAMS'S CELEBRATED

WASHING CRYSTAL,

The Best Article of the Kind in the World!

ASK your Grocer for Williams's Washing Crystal, AND TAKE NO OTHER. The very best article known for WASHING DIRTY OR SOILED HANDS. Also, for HOUSE CLEANING AND ALL DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

Half the Labor and half the Soap Saved by using

Williams's Washing Crystal.

For sale by all first-class Grocers.

TRY OUR
JAMAICA GINGER.

The Best and Cheapest in the Market!

— ALSO —

Flavoring Extracts,

OF ALL KINDS.

W. N. FORD, Quincy, Sept. 15. tf

P. H. GAVIN, PLUMBER.

Formerly with WM. MILLS & Co., Boston.

Has commenced business at
96 Hancock Street, Quincy.

(Up one flight, in Adams's Block.)

Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Post Office, will receive prompt attention.
EVERY VARIETY OF PLUMBING WORK done at lowest prices.
Quincy, Jan. 28. tf

OLD PAPERS, FOR SALE.

A FEW hundred of old Newspapers, uncut, suitable for wrapping and other purposes,—for sale at the Patriot Office.
Quincy, Nov. 3. tf



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The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, DEC. 22, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons.

Anonymous communications are not published.

Our Local Trade.

Our stores are now presenting a very lively and business-like appearance, and they are really worthy a visit even if you have no money to spend, if only to feast your eyes. We would first introduce you to our family stores, where the best assortment of excellent groceries and provisions can be found, from which the most fastidious appetites could be appeased; or peep into the emporiums of fashion, to select garments comfortable and stylish, or examine the stock of dry goods of the latest and most fashionable patterns; or look at the boots and shoes, and fancy slippers, so handy for presents about this time; or at the beautiful fancy articles, comprising pictures, toys, and the making of pretty little decorations for the walls of a room, giving it a very attractive and pleasant look; or at the rich display of gold and silver ware, laid daintily in silk and velvet cases; or at the useful and desirable house furnishing goods, which give ease and elegance to cosy homes; or to the kitchen furnishing warehouse, bright tins and the best baking stoves and ranges in the market, whose merits every housewife so well knows how to appreciate.

Christmas is close at hand, and our storekeepers are prepared for its coming, and the windows and stores are decorated in holiday costumes, which are so attractive to the eye. Our citizens can now find such a fine assortment of all kinds of goods from which to make their selections, that home trade will be the motto of the Quincyites this year.

BOLD OPERATION. On Thursday morning last between the hours of three and four o'clock, Mr. Samuel B. Turner, who resides over the store recently occupied by H. W. Gray, on Hancock street, heard an outcry from the sleeping department of his daughter, a little girl of nine years. He immediately went to her rescue, and found an intoxicated man trying to get into her bed. Being a police officer, he arrested the intruder, and took him to the lockup. From appearances the outside door must have been unlocked and the one upstairs was broken open. The guilty party had taken before Judge Bumpus the same morning where he was recognized as John E. Mann, of Randolph, a person rather low in mental abilities. He said on being questioned by the Judge, that he was so intoxicated he did not know what he was about. He will be tried before the Superior court in April next.

CHRISTMAS TREES. The Congregational, Episcopal and Universalist societies are to hold their Christmas trees at their several houses of worship on Monday evening. Speaking, singing and other pleasant little exercises by the children, with the distribution of beautiful gifts from trees laden with rich and timely fruits will be the pleasant entertainments of the evening, and little hearts will be made glad and happy.

DEFREES & MILLIKEN have a splendid stock of goods for the holidays. Do not go to the city for dry goods when you can find such nice bargains at home.

FATAL ACCIDENT. Last Saturday afternoon a sad accident occurred at the granite quarry of McKenzie & Peterson, by which a man named John Falvey, was so seriously injured as to cause his death the same night. Mr. Falvey was drilling holes near where a huge block of granite was standing, when it accidentally came over on to him, crushing his limbs in a fearful manner. The rock weighed between four and five tons, and it required the use of a derrick to remove it from his legs. Mr. Falvey has left a wife but no children. He was a hard working respectable man, and beloved by all who knew him. His funeral took place from St. John church on Monday morning.

FIRE. Last Saturday morning, between twelve and one o'clock, fire was discovered issuing from the old Willard house barn, in West Quincy, and the incendiary torch had been applied so faithfully this time, that it was entirely consumed. It had been fired once before during the night, but was discovered in season to be extinguished before doing much damage. Loss about \$200. It was owned by Mrs. John A. Duggan, and there was no insurance on it.

About four o'clock on Sunday morning, a barn and two sheds connected, off Willard street in the westerly part of the town, belonging to Messrs. Jesse Buntin and Samuel Babcock, were with their contents consumed by fire. There were about seven tons of hay, grain, three yokes of oxen, drag plank, &c., in the building, which with the exception of one of the oxen, were all destroyed. One of the poor bovines succeeded in breaking out of the building, but he was so badly burned before escaping, that he had to be killed. The total loss of Messrs. Buntin & Babcock was \$2000, with only an insurance of \$200 on the barn. Insured in the Norfolk Mutual, at Dedham. It is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary, and the villain who will do so wicked a deed deserves to be roasted.

THE OLD SOUTH. Some young misses of this town, who are desirous of contributing their mite to save the Old South Church, are holding a Fair at the residence of Mrs. Perkins rear of the Savings Bank. They extend a cordial invitation to the citizens to aid them in the good work.

REAL ESTATE SALES. We find among the private sales in this County, the following in this town:—

Stedman Williams and others sold to Relief Whitcher a piece of land on the south side of School street for \$3,000. Olive A. Holbrook sold to Henrietta N. Holbrook, four house lots on Squantum street and Highland avenue for \$3,000.

Local Items.

The public schools closed yesterday, for ten days' vacation.

At a meeting of the Board of Engineers held on Wednesday evening, it was unanimously voted to disband the Granite Engine Company.

Our streets are dry and dusty. So much for December.

Cobb Concert Company give the next entertainment in the course at the Town Hall, on Tuesday evening.

Miss Sarah Palmer, entertained a few of her friends at her residence on Washington street, on Thursday, the occasion being the celebration of her birthday.

The Orthodox Society at Wollaston Heights netted over \$200 at the fair held there last week.

Mr. A. F. Russell made and finished eighty pictures for the Academy boys the past week.

The public library will be closed on Tuesday next, Christmas day.

A padlock was placed on the door of the Granite Engine house, on Thursday noon last by Engineer Farrell.

The regular meeting of the Paul Revere Post, will be held on Friday evening of next week instead of Tuesday evening.

James T. Fields gave a very interesting lecture on "fiction" at the Town Hall on Tuesday evening last.

Dr. C. S. French has returned from a week's visit in Maine. Any old tooth that wants pulling will now come out with vigor.

The Engineers voted on Wednesday evening last to discharge Capt. Charles F. Laplam, Foreman of the Vulture Engine Company.

Anniversary.

Monday night was everything that could be desired in regard to weather, and a goodly company assembled at Bent's Hall, it being the first anniversary of Granite Temple of Honor, No. 43. After the opening services, W. C. T. Chas. Follett, briefly reviewed the year's progress, and stated that they have a membership of fifty, have met the first year's expenses and have money in the treasury. He then announced a song by C. M. Winneberger, who rendered a sweet and appropriate ballad, "Forget and Forgive," in a pleasing manner. J. M. Gibson, Deputy C. T., then arose, and after a few prefatory remarks, proceeded to give a sketch of the formation and purposes of the order, from which we take the following extracts:

The Temple of Honor—or rather the Templars of Honor and Temperance, which more fully expresses the design of the order—was formally instituted and its officers installed on the 5th of December, 1845, under the name of Marshall Temple of Honor, No. 1, Sons of Temperance, it being designed at that time to make this a higher branch of the Sons of Temperance, during the following year, the order was changed to Granite Temple of Honor, No. 43, Sons of Temperance, partaking of the nature of the two organizations, which did not succeed, and in May 1849, action was taken by which the Temple of Honor became an entirely independent body.

In November, 1846, representatives from several Grand Temples met in New York and formed a National Temple. In 1852, the name of this organization was changed to Supreme Council of the Temple of Honor and Temperance, which body has now entire jurisdiction of the world. The order has now Grand Temples in most of the States, and in the British Provinces.

One point of difference between this and other temperance organizations, is that its membership is composed entirely of men. But, to show that we do not think so lightly of women after all, I will state that we have a department called the Temple, which is open to women, and is controlled by them, and into which no gentleman can be admitted whom they do not consider worthy.

Its uses have swept like floods of water over the race, till there is scarce a family but what has felt their blighting touch. But, to show that we do not think so lightly of women after all, I will state that we have a department called the Temple, which is open to women, and is controlled by them, and into which no gentleman can be admitted whom they do not consider worthy.

Our pledge is a life pledge. For ages the world has been cursed by intemperance. Its woes have swept like floods of water over the race, till there is scarce a family but what has felt their blighting touch. But, to show that we do not think so lightly of women after all, I will state that we have a department called the Temple, which is open to women, and is controlled by them, and into which no gentleman can be admitted whom they do not consider worthy.

Such are our principles. If you endorse them come and join us, and make one more in the great Temperance army to battle against the worst enemy with which man has to contend.

Remarks from G. W. Pennington next followed; then came a violin solo by Mr. Joshua Hanson, an accompaniment being played by his mother; "I have drunk my last glass, boys," a reading by Miss Minnie E. Hall, was rendered creditably by the little reader.

A short social recess was taken at this point. When the gavel again called the assembly to order, speaking was renewed by Rev. G. W. Whitney, followed by a song from F. J. Paul, and remarks from Lahey and Simmons. A song—Medley—rendered by Mrs. Hanson, remarks by Starbuck, and a song by Winneberger, closed this part of the entertainment.

The settlers were then quickly disposed of, and the company made ready to join in the festive dance, the music being furnished by Mr. Hanson and his mother.

It was the hour of midnight ere the company prepared to depart, all carrying lightness in their heart and a smile upon their face.

Three English gentlemen this year gave \$25,000 each to African missions.

Missouri Correspondence.

St. Louis, Dec. 14th, 1877.

DEAR PATRIOT:—Your welcome face, in its weekly appearance, gives you may be sure, great pleasure to the Quincy "strays," hearing, as they can through your columns, of the welfare of the citizens of the town and county.

I think Quincy can safely boast of the first graduating essay ever known to affect the public mind. I remember to have heard last summer, in the Town Hall, (so lately honored in song,) a thesis on "Advertising," which was received with applause at the time; but, much more to the point, seems to have awakened your good townspeople to the virtues of that business, as your increased size testifies.

Here the Holiday season has set in with a rush, the streets are thronged with shoppers, the windows of the stores vie with each other in attractiveness, and the shopkeepers' faces have widened perceptibly in the last two weeks.

The hard times are said to be felt less here than in other cities, and the Provident Association has a much smaller number of families to care for than is usual at this time.

Were this letter to be mailed without mention of the weather, not only would the said note lack proper interest, but injustice would be done to our friend the Clerk, who has been exerting himself lately in a most remarkable manner. When I tell you that for the last week fires have been required in kitchens only, that open windows were the rule and not the exception, that outer wraps were a burden, and that every body groans under the spring languor; and, lastly, that at a whist party given a day or two since, the ladies were much annoyed and finally interrupted their playing because of the fires, I think you will agree with me that the weather deserves a paragraph!

I wish you a very merry Christmas, and the most auspicious of New Years, and, as they say on the latter day, "With many happy returns."

Boxbombs.

Those of our readers who are fond of delicious sweetmeats, should call on Reed & Co., and try his chocolate creams, which are put up in beautiful little fancy boxes.

CONCERT. The next entertainment in the Quincy Course will be a concert by the Cobb Concert Co. This includes five artists, Mr. Cobb, the principal of the company, a humorous singer, has a fine voice, and may be Mr. Hancock, and many think he is quite equal to Mr. B. The following are some of the selections which will be sung:—

1. QUARTETTE—(a) "Old May Day;" (b) "The Way is Here."
2. SOLO—"The Skipper and His Boy."
3. DUET—"Sons of Temperance."
4. SOLO—"Come into the Garden, Mandie."
5. HUSBAND'S SONG—"Tea in the Arbor."
6. QUARTETTE—"When Allen-a-dale went Hunting."
7. SOLO—"Tell me my Heart,—"The Day is Done."
8. TROUPE—"Rest thee on this Mossy Pillow."
9. HUSBAND'S SONG—"Romance."

This Company which is a mixed quartette has a fine reputation and all of the four are soloists. As the concert comes on Christmas evening there will undoubtedly be a full house.

SPLENDID. If you visit the city this week, call at the grocery store of Guy & Brothers, 33 Bedford street. They have a beautiful stock for the holidays.

TEMPERANCE LECTURE. The lecture by Miss DeVelling at Town Hall Sunday night, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., drew together a good audience. The meeting was opened with devotional exercises, followed by singing, and a solo exquisitely rendered by Miss Johnson. The speaker was then introduced, who gave a practical talk on her theme. Her manner is forcible and logical rather than eloquent.

After she had finished, Wm. S. Leavitt, President of the Reform Club, occupied some ten minutes in behalf thereof, eloquently urging all to actively assist it in its work of mercy and blessing. We would suggest that what was said would have more effect if better order could be maintained. This hint will be sufficient for those who thoughtlessly cause injury in this way; those who come simply to make disorder are better off outside.

Charles F. Pierce has a few second hand stoves which he is selling very cheap.

The Old South Fair which has been held the past week in the old church building, Boston, closed on Wednesday evening, and was a decided success, the total receipts from all sources amounting to \$30,400.

Since the discovery of Dr. Williams' Indian Oilment there is certainly no excuse for any one to suffer from the Piles. See Advertisement, Dec. 23, 1877.

Sunday Services.

CHRIST CHURCH. Services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock. Children's service on Christmas Eve with Christmas tree on Monday evening at 7 o'clock. All interested are invited to be present.

CHRISTIANIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2:30 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:30 by Rev. R. M. Shippin.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH at WOLLASTON HEIGHTS. The services will be appropriate to the advent. In the evening there will be a musical and relative exercise entitled "Tribute of praise to Jesus" by the children.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. The Pastor will preach a sermon for Christmas at 10:30 A. M. Sabbath School and Bible Class at 11:45 A. M. Christmas Praise Meeting at 7 P. M.

Prayer and Conference meeting every Friday evening.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Christmas services, beginning at 10:30 A. M. Sunday school immediately following. At 7 P. M. a Christmas concert by the school.

Christmas tree Monday evening.

DISTRICT COURT. The weather is mild and pleasant and the inhabitants are trying to imitate the example by living quietly and peaceably together. Few cases have been brought before Judge Bumpus this week.

Theodore Thompson, of Randolph, for an assault, was discharged.

John E. Mann, of Randolph, for breaking and entering, and for an assault on the daughter of Samuel B. Turner of Quincy. The evidence was deemed sufficient to hold the defendant in the sum of \$2000 for his appearance before the Grand Jury at the April term. Being unable to furnish bail he was carried to the House of Correction.

Wm. C. Stoddard, of Braintree, for keeping liquor with intent to sell the same. Fine \$50 and costs. Appealed.

Wm. A. Mosley, keeper of the North Quincy House, for selling intoxicating liquors. Fined \$50 and costs.

Margaret Chaplain, of Weymouth, for being drunk. Continued to Saturday morning.

H. T. REED & Co., GROCERS, ROBERTSON'S BLOCK.

First-class Candy

25 CTS. PER POUND.

NICE NEW Persian Dates,

12 CENTS A POUND.

NEW ELEME FIGS,

15 CENTS A POUND.

NICE SWEET ORANGES,

30 Cents Per Dozen.

We have received the past week a large invoice of

FRY'S IMPORTED Vanilla & De Sante Chocolates

in fancy boxes, at 25 CENTS EACH, the purest confection sold, nice for the children.

Come to H. T. REED & CO'S Store on Monday Evening and get a Christmas Candy. A large assortment—all colors.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

MAKE A CALL

IF YOU WANT

USEFUL GOODS

FOR

Christmas Presents!

after you have called at

ALL OTHER PLACES.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

A. W. HICKS,

—AT HIS—

Market and Grocery,

JUNCTION OF Hancock and Washington Streets,

—IS SELLING—

Candy at 20 cts. per lb., including a variety of

Fine Mixed Candy, Chocolate Creams, Gum Drops, Winter Green Berries, African Peanuts, etc., etc.

NUTS.

7 cents per quart, 8 cents per half, 10 cents per lb., 15 cents per lb., 15 cents per lb., 12 cents per lb.

GROCERIES.

We have constantly on hand a choice lot of FAMILY GROCERIES, at Lowest Prices. Extra bargains in

FLOUR!

by the barrel or in small lots.

EXAMINE OUR Meat Department!

where we have a large assortment of MEATS, including

Prepared Mince Meat,

and the best quality of BUTTER and CHEESE.

All orders promptly attended to.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

NEW PATTERNS

—OF—

MINTON'S TILES

WITH

Estrail Wire Frames,

Just the prettiest thing for Tea-pot stands ever made.

GUY & BROTHERS.

Boston, Dec. 22.

FURNACES AND RANGES!

The subscriber has on hand and is prepared to furnish at his New Building, corner of Washington and Hancock Sts., a full assortment of

Ranges and Cook Stoves,

Parlor and Office Stoves.

I have the

PALLAS PARLOR,

Equally as good as the STEWART, which I will sell.

Eight Dollars Less!

Any stove not in stock will be obtained at short notice and as cheap as can be bought elsewhere.

FURNACES AND RANGES set and repaired at short notice and at a good discount.

Also, a full line of

CUSTOM-MADE TIN WARE.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

Charles F. Pierce.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

FALSE ALARM. Last Saturday evening a fire alarm was sounded on the Tiger bell and also upon those in North and East Braintree, but the cause turned out to be only a brush fire near the residence of Mr. John Q. A. Field.

FOR SALE CHEAP.

A NICE VIOLIN, Bow and Instruction Books. The owner has no further use for them. Address No. 457.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

JAPANESE FANCY GOODS,

ONLY A FEW CENTS EACH.

At Guy & Brothers,

No. 33 Bedford St., Boston.

Dec. 22.

LOST!

ON Monday, Dec. 17th, going from Stable of the subscriber to No. Walnut street, through South street, a RED SHAWL CARBONADO RING. The ring will be suitably rewarded by returning to J. HALL'S LIVERY STABLE.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

CLOSING NOTICE.

THE public are hereby notified that the Public Library will be closed on Christmas and New Year's Days, and persons wishing books will govern themselves accordingly.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

Children's Fair!

IN AID OF THE

OLD SOUTH CHURCH,

On Friday Evening, Dec. 21st,

From 7 to 10 o'clock.

AND SATURDAY, Dec. 22d,

From 10 A. M. to 10 P. M., at

MRS. M. A. PERKINS',

Hancock Street, near of Saving Bank.

Contributions of Fancy Articles, Refreshments, or Confectionery, will be thankfully received. Christmas Evegreen for sale. All are cordially invited.

Admission 10 Cents. Children under 12, 5 Cts.

Committee:—Jennie Cass, Annie Parker, Mary H. D. Foster, Clara P. French, Alice Underwood, Sylvia M. Holt.

Doorkeeper, Frank C. Follett.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

NOTICE.

THE subscriber has been compelled to withdraw from his accustomed place of business for a few weeks, owing to impaired health; but would announce to his friends that competent and experienced workmen have been secured, who will attend to the wants of his patrons.

T. G. EMEISON.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

THERMOMETERS

20 CENTS AND UPWARDS.

PETTENGILL'S.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

SEE! SEE!!

NEW! NICE!!

—AT THE—

HOLIDAY GOODS!

—AT THE—

POST OFFICE STORE.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

TO LET,

A SMALL STORE, Tenement and Shop, at Mattapan, Dorchester Division, near N. Y. & N. E. Depot. Inquire on the premises, or apply to W. A. HODGES.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

TO LET,

A HALF OF THE BASEMENT in the New Building, junction of Washington and Hancock Streets. For particulars inquire on the premises, of CHARLES F. PIERCE.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

H. B. BROWN

can be found at

No. 6 Granite Street,

Where he will be pleased to show you

A SPLENDID FRENCH ROAST,

—ALSO—

A FINE RIB STEAK,

From Durham Beef, and give you a sample of his Luscious HEAD CHEESE.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

H. B. BROWN,

—IS SELLING—

No. 6 Granite Street,

EXTRA LARD

For 12-1-2 Cents per pound.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

Quincy Market

OF BOSTON.

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Quincy Market of Quincy.

Quincy, Dec. 22.

Quincy Market, 6 Granite St.,

is THE place to buy

Turkeys, Chickens & Geese.

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, DEC. 22, 1877.

Single Copies 5 cents.

For Sale at
The Old Colony Railroad Depot, Boston,
T. Curney's Store, North Quincy,
E. H. Doble & Co's Store, West Quincy,
F. Warren Parks, South Braintree,
Southern Periodical Store, and at
THE PATRIOT OFFICE.

WEEKLY	ADMANAC.	FULL SEA	MOON
Sunday, Dec. 22	12:15	12:45	7:02 P.M.
" 23	1:15	1:30	8:22 "
" 24	2:15	2:15	9:39 "
" 25	3:15	3:15	10:53 "
" 26	4:15	4:15	12:00 A.M.
" 27	5:15	5:15	12:07 "
" 28	6:15	6:15	1:21 "

Last Quarter, Dec. 27th, 1:36 A.M.

Tax Collector's Sale.

The following estates were sold at auction by George H. Locke, Esq., collector of taxes, at the Selectmen's room on Saturday last, for non-payment of taxes, assessed for the year 1877.

Lot of land bought of C. F. Billings No. 11, taxed for \$2.80 to Timothy J. Hannon of Boston; sold to H. H. Faxon for \$8.

Lot of land, with buildings thereon, situated at Bellevue, North Quincy, taxed for \$3.20 to J. J. Collins; sold to Henry Whittemore for \$35.50.

Lot of land at Bellevue, taxed for \$2.50 to Mrs. J. J. Collins; sold to H. H. Faxon for \$8.

Clifton Hotel, Squantum, stable, office, sheds, 21 acres of land, and 19 acres of salt marsh, taxed for \$18.40 to John Preston of Boston; sold to Chas. S. Church of Dedham for \$194.75.

Every acre of woodland, taxed for \$4.40 to R. A. Richards and J. W. Bradley of Milton; sold to H. H. Faxon for \$150.

One-half acre of land, with buildings thereon, at the railway, taxed for \$17.40 to Patrick Sweeney; sold to Miss Florence N. Locke for \$24.90.

Lot No. 3, block 5, section 6, containing 300 feet of land, with buildings thereon, at Wollaston, taxed for \$46.20 to B. T. Dwyer of Weymouth; sold to Chas. S. Church of Dedham for \$50.70.

Fourteen acres of woodland taxed for \$50 to Ebenezer Eaton of Boston; sold to Miss Florence N. Locke for \$12.50.

Up to Saturday evening nearly \$90,000 had been received by Mr. Locke, out of a whole tax of \$112,000.

LECTURE. This week's entertainment in the Town Hall course was a lecture by Jas. T. Fields. He took "Fiction, Old and New," as his subject, and entertained the audience for an hour-and-a-half in a rapid and pleasant manner, and the wide field spread before him. He covered the opening portion of his lecture, recommending much of the sensational nonsense published now-a-days as "Popular Novels." He then went on to the books, and authors who have become justly celebrated in the world of fiction, and their habits. The lecture was listened to intently by the audience, and the speaker.

At the conclusion of the lecture a dance was offered individuals who wished to take a look at the manuscript of several noted authors, and who wished the pages over which the hand of George Eliot, Thackeray, Charles Reade and Charles Dickens had passed, and which guided the pen which gave their mental thoughts and pictures to purify and amuse the world; it seemed almost like gazing the hands and holding an interview with the authors themselves. And there was such a difference in the writing. George Eliot's is symmetrical and beautiful, while Charles Reade's is coarse and irregular, much crossed; but Dick's manuscript deserves the palm for efficiency to decipher. Written exceedingly fine, a word is frequently changed in another written over it, sometimes to the third time. His letters are written in a larger and much clearer hand than he employed in his novels. Here we saw the fact that but one composition was found in all London who could read the intricacies of his penmanship, and that Dickens bought.

See W. Penman of this town who lectured at Brockton on Sunday evening for the third time this season, giving a general desire his lecture on "Now."

A PRIZE PRESENT. One of those pretty cards and sweet sonnets for sale in Faxon's French.

WARDEN DIARY. One of the most useful pocket diaries that we have seen is one which Lockwood, Boston, & Co. 281 Washington street, are agents for. A marginal index is one of the conveniences of this book by which a particular day can be taken at once without any trouble, making it far superior to any in use. If white best thing in a business diary that can be found.

42-Old Santa Claus has been waiting at the store of Elbridge Clapp the past week, with a load of choice presents for all good children. Look into the window of this store, little ones, it will delight your eyes.

Attention is called to the notice in another column of the sale by auction of the estate of the late Joshua Torrey. We stated in our issue of last week that the person had been sold which was true, but as a bargain could be made; but to have to complete legal steps are obliged to be taken.

Want to know, the old folks like it, the new folks like it, and the babies cry for it—this is Faxon's Cough Syrup. Dr. 22 1/2

MEAN FOR THE MILLION. The Devereux number of the popular Musical Journal, the "Singer," contains twelve copies, four beautiful pieces of fine music, and a receipt of four three-cent stamps. Address, John F. Perry & Co., 25 Washington st., Boston, Mass.

Many consumers are now using Dr. Faxon's Cough Syrup and Ointment with remarkable success.

For the Patriot.

Wollaston Heights.

The week has ended to the perfect delight of those of us who enjoy outside entertainments more than domestic quiet—four, fair evenings. Our Congregational friends opened the ball last week Wednesday, and in the two evenings, netted from admissions and sales, the modest sum of \$240. The department of gastronomic, from candy and ice cream, to chocolate and oysters, was truly tempting; and not a few rubbed their stomachs, near the close, because they were so full, while their pockets were empty.

The fancy tables were covered with temptations to young and old, from dolls and home made toys to costly ornaments and fine oil paintings from one of New England's best artists. In a quiet corner, curtained off, was an attractive display of antique relics collected and arranged by Charles Cook, which amply repaid the small fee of five cents for admission. The usual Tom Fool, was out of town during both evenings. The ladies of the society, who here, as heretofore, showed a preponderance of intelligence and executive ability, deserve not a little credit for their wise management. Boreas and Jupiter Pluvius favored them both evenings.

Last Tuesday evening the Baptist chapel was filled with friends, desirous of seeing and helping dispose of the beautiful articles upon the tastefully arranged tables. The useful was here every where to be seen; the more show and fancy being exceptional. A beautiful booth for the sale of flowers occupied the front centre of the Chapel, pretty enough for the little "winged Archer" and Flora to occupy, while all through the centre and along the sides fair hands ministered to the patrons of their inviting tables.

The attempt to run the inevitable "Post Office" was at both fairs, as usual, a clumsy failure. Diluted humor well "extended," made those who paid their postage, feel in some cases, as when opening some dust packages, sent by express C. O. D. Prolong attempts at fun, or effusions of science, are always inspiring at Church.

At the time of writing, we are unable to state the net receipts, but hope they may amply reward the efforts of the generous donors. Santa Claus and his brother, visit us next week.

The Natural History collection of the W. M. French House Company has recently received valuable additions; the successful result of sharp shooting by some of its members. Among them is a pair of buck-horns, mounted on a black shield, contrived by Chas. A. Felts, the animal from which they were taken having been killed by him while on a deer hunt in Florida. Also, three varieties of our sea shore birds, which have been handsomely set up by a successful taxidermist, the gift of Chas. F. Colby, one of the crack shots of the company.

A somewhat costly and vexatious mishap has befallen Forest Hills Cemetery. Recently two dogs entered the grounds, and by burrowing gained access to the winter quarters of the beautiful water-fowl kept there, and killed no less than thirty-six geese, ducks and swans, valued at \$400. Only one escaped. The collection of fowls was one of the finest in this vicinity, comprising some fine specimens from Australia.

GERMAN SYRUP. No other medicine in the world was ever given to a test of its curative qualities as BOSE'S GERMAN SYRUP. In three years two million four hundred thousand small bottles of this medicine have been distributed free of charge by Druggists in this country to those afflicted with Consumption, Asthma, Croup, severe Coughs, throat and lung, giving the American people undeniable proof that GERMAN SYRUP will cure them. The result has been that Druggists in every town and village in the United States are recommending it to their customers. Go to your Druggists, and ask what they know about it. Sample bottles 10 cts. Regular size 75 cts. Three doses will relieve any case. Dec. 28th 6w

Marriages.

In this town, Dec. 15th, by Rev. G. W. Whitney, Mr. Edward W. Spurr to Miss Lizzie M. Adams, both of Weymouth.

In New York, Dec. 19th, at the church of the Trinity, by the Rev. Dr. Houghton, Mr. Edward G. Ganson, to Miss Isabella A., daughter of the late Daniel P. Nye of Quincy. No cards.

Deaths.

In this town, Dec. 16th, Mr. John Polve, aged 37 years.

Dec. 17th, Mr. Ellen, daughter of Mr. Thomas and Mrs. Catherine T. Flynn, aged 10 months.

Dec. 18th, Lizzie Bliss, daughter of Mr. Benjamin F., and Mrs. Lizzie E. C. Linton, aged 7 years, 9 months and 23 days.

Dec. 20th, Mr. Michael H. Mahoney, aged 42 years and 4 months.

In Boston, Dec. 12th, Mrs. Annie C., wife of Mr. William E. Boyce, formerly of this town, aged 39 years, 5 months and 7 days.

Special Notices.

C. T. S. NOTICE. The next regular meeting of the C. T. S. will be held at No. 6 Granite street, SATURDAY evening next at 7 o'clock. Quincy, Dec. 23d. 1w

CARD. The members of Tiger Engine Co. No. 2, return their thanks to the members of the Vulture Engine Co. No. 4, and W. M. French House Co. for their assistance at the fire on Sunday morning last. Per Order, JOS. W. HAYDEN Foreman A. L. LITCHFIELD, Clerk. Quincy, Dec. 22 1w

ATTENTION.—Comrades, Paul Revere Poole, G. A. F., will hold their regular encampment, Friday Evening, (Tuesday being Christmas), at 7 1/2 o'clock, at Hardwick's Hall Franklin street.

Per Order, S. B. TURNER, Commander. R. F. BILLINGS, Adj. Quincy, Aug. 26. 1y

TAKE WARNING. Mrs. Kate Ryan, who resides at Randolph, with five children, from 3 to 14 years of age, was found on Wednesday morning last in an insensible condition, from inhaling gas, which had escaped from a coal stove, which was in a room near where they slept. The children were all dead, but hopes are entertained of Mrs. Ryan's recovery.

Medical Examiner Morison of this town was summoned, and after examining the dead bodies and the situation generally, decided that an inquest was unnecessary, as the cause of the death was apparent.

HORRIBLE TRAGEDY. A young friend, named Henry Hickey, aged thirteen years, who lived with his parents at No. 35 Lenox street, Boston, deliberately shot and killed a little boy named John Cronin, three years of age, who resided in the same house, who was quietly playing with his sister in the entry of the house, on Wednesday last. The ball entered the base of the skull and could not be removed, and the little fellow remained unconscious for some hours until his death.

A Large Assortment of Wooden Toys direct from the Manufacturers, very cheap, at SOUTHER'S Newspaper and Periodical Store. Quincy, Dec. 15. 4w

HOLIDAY GOODS!

A large assortment of Gold - Plated Chains, Nickle - Plated Chains, CHAINS, &c., &c., PETTINGILL'S, 91 Hancock St. Quincy, Dec. 15. 3w

SEE THE PRICE

FOR WELL-MADE BOOTS AND SHOES, NOT SHODDY. Quincy, Dec. 15. 4w

Men's Thick Tap Sole Boots, \$2.00 Men's Heavy Kip Tap Sole Boots, 3.00 Men's Calf Tap Sole Boots, 2.75 Men's Heavy Tap Sole Congress, 1.60 Men's Heavy Tap Sole Congress, 1.25 Boys' Heavy Tap Sole Balmorals, 1.25 Women's Fine Goat Side Lace Boots, 2.50 Women's Amer. Kid Button Boots, 1.75 Women's Wood Heeled Buskins, .55 Women's Glove Flannel-lined Croquette Slippers, 1.00

GEORGE SAVILLE, No. 90 Hancock St. Quincy, Dec. 15. 1f

LOMBARD'S CLOTHING HOUSE! IN—Robertson's Block, QUINCY, MASS.

In order to have a small stock of CLOTHING

Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods! HATS, CAPS, &c., on hand by January 1st, 1878, my Motto will be "NOT TO LET A CUSTOMER GO OUT WITHOUT PURCHASING IF THEY WANT GOODS MORE THAN MONEY."

EVERY GARMENT is marked in PLAIN FIGURES so that you may see for yourselves.

Double-breasted Overcoats, \$3.50 to \$15.00 Reefing Jackets, 4.00 to 5.50 Undershirts and Drawers, 25 cts. to 1.75 per pr. Pocket Handkerchiefs, 3 to 15 cts. each. Good Woolen Socks, 17 to 40 cts. per pr. Merino Socks, 10 to 25 cts. per pr. Braces, 12 cts. to \$1.00 per pr. Boys' Suits, 2.50 to 7.00 Youths' Suits, 5.00 to 10.00 Men's Suits, 6.50 to 16.00 Cardigan Jackets, 62 cts. to 2.00 each. Boys' Caps, 25 to 62 cts. each. Men's Caps, 25 cts. to \$1.00 each. Linen Bosoms, 19 cts. each. Overalls, 50 to 65 cts. each.

You will find the largest stock of Goods in this store December 8th, the opening day for LOW PRICES, and the best assortment in Quincy. Look in before purchasing, and you will not be disappointed.

All Goods purchased not proving as represented will be made good to you in all cases (as some of my many customers can testify), and with no growling.

Please call in and see me before taking the cars for Boston, and encourage home industry. ALL WE ASK IS TO LIVE. I am bound to keep Quincy trade at home!

CUSTOM MADE PANTS (All Wool, \$1.50 PER PAIR. Goods will be sold at the above Low Prices until February 1st, 1878. Quincy, Dec. 8. 1f

PRICELESS DISCOVERY.

A SURE CURE FOR PILES. A sure cure for the old, bleeding, itching and ulcerated piles has been discovered by Dr. William (an Indian remedy) called Dr. William's Indian Ointment. A single box has cured the worst old chronic case of twenty-five and thirty years standing. No one need suffer five minutes after applying this wonderful soothing medicine. Lotions, instruments and electricity do more harm than good. William's Ointment supports the tissues, allays the intense itching particularly at night after getting warm in bed, acts as a powerful live instant and painless relief, and is prepared only for Piles and nothing else. Thousands of cured patients attest its virtues, and physicians of all schools pronounce it the greatest contribution to medicine of the age. It matters not how long or severely you have been suffering, you can be cured.

Mr. Joseph M. Ryder, Cleveland, Ohio, writes: "I suffered for years with Itching and Ulcerated Piles, tried nearly every remedy, and consulted physicians in Philadelphia, Louisville, Cincinnati, Indianapolis and this city, and spent hundreds of dollars, but found no relief until I obtained a box of Dr. William's Indian Ointment some four months ago, and it has cured me completely. I had a part of the box left which I gave to a friend of mine who had suffered with many physicians, and as a last resort went to the noted Hot Springs, Arkansas, for treatment. He informs me that the Indian Ointment has also cured him of the Piles. It is certainly a wonderful discovery, and should be used by the many thousands who are now suffering with that dread disease."

Give your friends the slip, and for a more certain remedy, sold by all Druggists, Dr. G. W. FRAZIER, sole proprietor, Cleveland, Ohio.

DON'T NEGLECT A COUGH or Cold, when 25 cts. will buy a bottle of Dr. Frazier's Cough Syrup at any drug store. It has wrought a complete change in the Cough Medicines, as pleasant as honey.

TO CONSUMPTIVES. Dr. Frazier's Cough Syrup used in connection with Dr. Frazier's Root Bitters will cure consumption. Standard Steam Laundry, Cleveland, O., Oct. 30, '76. Dr. Frazier, Dear Sir: I feel it a duty I owe to suffering humanity to declare that I have wrought a complete change in the Cough Medicines, as pleasant as honey.

I was sorely afflicted with a cough, raising bad stuff, with every symptom of being a confirmed consumptive. I tried different medicines and cures without finding relief. I also consulted three of our most prominent Cleveland physicians. The last one of which pronounced my case serious, and informed me that I could not live more than a few weeks. About this time, hearing of your wonderful success, I commenced using your Root Bitters, and was at once benefited, and used the medicine some two months I find myself entirely cured. YOUNG, D. N. N. Dr. Frazier, Dear Sir: I can endorse your medicine more strongly than ever from the fact that it is now nearly one year since I was cured. My lungs are today strong and sound, having no return of the disease.

The above medicines speak for themselves. DR. G. W. FRAZIER, Proprietor, Cleveland, O. For sale by all druggists. Dec. 22, 1877. 1y

NOTICE.

Shawl Pins, Veil Pins, Scarf Pins, CUFF-PINS, For Holiday Presents, G. F. PETTINGILL'S, NO. 91 HANCOCK ST. Quincy, Dec. 15. 3w

Writing Paper, 75 Cts. per ream, at SOUTHER'S. Quincy, Dec. 15. 4w

FASHIONABLE DRESS AND CLOAK MAKING! AT REASONABLE PRICES. Will also make it a specialty to go out by the day. Address—

MRS. GILLESPIE, Hobart Street, - - - East Braintree. Braintree, Dec. 15. 4w

The Ladies say they are Cheap enough, those Scotch plaid Needle Books and Puff Boxes, at C. F. PETTINGILL'S, 91 Hancock street. Quincy, Dec. 15. 3w

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR'S GOODS! We are pleased to inform the people of Quincy and vicinity that the place we had the largest and best selected assortment of

Pocket Knives and Razors! which we have just received from the largest manufacturers expressly for the Holiday Trade, which we propose to sell at the

Lowest Cash Prices! Smokers' Articles! consisting of a fine assortment of Meerschaum Pipes, From \$1.00 to \$10.00 each. MEERSCHAUM Cigar and Cigarette Holders, AND BRIAR PIPES, of every description.

We have also received for the Holiday Trade a choice stock of IMPORTED, KEY WEST AND DOMESTIC CIGARS! put up in neat and handsome styles. Boxes containing from 25 TO 250 CIGARS, which we can offer to the public at prices which

DEFY COMPETITION! From 35 cents to \$12 Per Box! This is the rarest opportunity offered for you to examine the best assortment of THIS LINE OF GOODS.

Christmas Week we shall receive a choice stock of CONFECTIONERY! to which we shall sell for 25 TO 60 CENTS A POUND.

We will offer any person studying any impurity about our candies, the sum of Ten Dollars.

We keep constantly on hand A large variety of Foreign and Domestic Fruit Canned Goods, - - - - - AND THE - - - - - Largest Stock of First-class GROCERIES

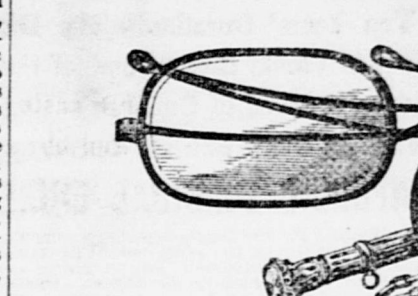
IN TOWN: PROVISIONS Quincy, Dec. 15. 1f

Diaries and Farmers' Almanacs for 1878, No household complete without them, SOUTHER'S. Quincy, Dec. 15. 4w

See the Centennial Rocker! FOR THE BABY, PRETTY and STRONG. Quincy, Dec. 15. 1f

Pure Cider Vinegar, MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE. For sale by the barrel or gallon. E. CLAPP. Quincy, Sept. 22. 1f

JOHN O. HOLDEN,



Invites attention to a good assortment of Articles for

HOLIDAY PRESENTS!

Gold Cased Stem and Key Winding Watches! Diamond, Pearl, Stone Cameo, Engraved and Plain Rings, SILVER NIPKIN RINGS and FRUIT KNIVES, Gold and Silver Thimbles, PEARL, RUBBER, IVORY, GOLD and PLATED PENCILS, Gold, Silver, Steel & Rubber Spectacles & Eye Glasses, Gold and Plated Neck and Vest Chains, CAKE BASKETS, CASTERS, BUTTER DISHES, PICKLE STANDS, NUT PICKS, ICE PITCHERS and CHILDREN'S CUPS, Clocks, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Razors and Thermometers

AT PRICES TO CONFORM WITH THE TIMES. Quincy, Nov. 28. 1f

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The Standard Broiler. PATENTED APRIL 10, 1877. This singular and best article for cooking Beef-steak ever invented. Can be used over either a Coal or Wood fire. Cooks Steak so quickly that all the juices are retained. Does not get smoky or coal on the meat. Uses no fat and no grease. Out of the stove. Does not put out the fire. Ask your Dealer for the STANDARD BROILER. It is just what you want. It is supplied by FULTON, DAN & FITZ, 101 West Broadway, New York. Also supplied by W. L. WILSON & CO., 200 Nassau St., N. Y.

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PLUG TOBACCO! Merchants' Tobacco Comp'y, Boston. Make the best use of each. One Dollar, half a pound in each day's use. Sold by druggists and tobacco dealers generally. Patent marks and trade marks on the plugs. Ask for this and get the best. One plug or smoke stick can be had.

SWEET NAVY CHEWING TOBACCO! was awarded the highest prize at the Centennial Exposition for the quality of the tobacco, the excellence and lasting character of its sweetening and flavoring. It is the best in the world, and is sold by all tobacco dealers. For sale by all tobacco dealers. For sale by all tobacco dealers.

WEBB'S COCOA Chocolate. Established 1843. These goods have received the highest awards at the principal fairs held in the United States. Manufactured by J. B. WEBB & CO., 45 Chatham St., Boston, Mass. Boston Office, 45 Chatham St.

AGENTS WANTED! FOR PARTICULARS ADDRESS: Wilson Sewing Machine Co., 220 Broadway, New York City; Chicago, 111a New Orleans, La.; San Francisco, Cal.

WORK FOR ALL. In their new and improved Sewing Machine, the Wilson Sewing Machine Co. have secured the highest awards at the principal fairs held in the United States. Manufactured by J. B. WEBB & CO., 45 Chatham St., Boston, Mass. Boston Office, 45 Chatham St.

Business Continued. THE subscriber would announce to his friends and the public that he has disposed of the stock and goodwill of the Lumber Business recently carried on by him at 100 North Street, to BENJAMIN F. CURTIS, a gentleman well known to the citizens of Quincy, and long since engaged in the lumber business, and who will continue to keep constantly on hand a large and well selected stock. BENJAMIN F. CURTIS. Quincy, Dec. 1, 1877.

Patent Weather Strips, Cheaper than ever by J. ELLIOT BOND, Wholesale and retail dealer in CARPENTRY, WINDOW SHADERS, & FIXTURES. A choice assortment of these goods in new designs, all widths, at Lowest Prices. 173 WASHINGTON STREET, BOSTON. Quincy, Dec. 8. 4w

HAY! HAY! THE subscriber has just received a superior quality of English Hay, which he will sell CHEAP. CHARLES CRANE. Quincy, Nov. 24. 1f

BRICK FOR SALE, AT THE QUINCY STATION. Apply to WARREN W. ADAMS, or to WM. H. FRENCH. Quincy, Sept. 8. 1f

Pure Cider Vinegar, MADE ENTIRELY OF APPLE JUICE. For sale by the barrel or gallon. E. CLAPP. Quincy, Sept. 22. 1f

Boards Wanted. THE undersigned is now prepared to accommodate such as desire first-class board with well furnished and pleasant rooms, and a table supplied with the best of the market, at reasonable prices, in one of the pleasantest locations in this town. A few table boards can also be accommodated. GRENVILLE BROOKS, Chestnut Street. Quincy, Sept. 15. 1f

Boards Wanted. A FEW more persons can be accommodated with pleasant rooms and good board at D. F. FRENCH'S, Washington Street. Quincy, Aug. 11. 1f

The Latest Yet!

The LA SUBLIME de ANONYMA CIGAR! The Best Cigar for 10 cts. ever offered to the public. In Boxes of Twenty-fives, Fifties and One Hundreds. Liberal discount to parties purchasing a box. Also, CIGARETTES, Plug and Fine Cut Tobaccos. G. F. WILSON'S. P. S.—SMUGGLER CIGARS—the only genuine ones in town. Quincy, Dec. 8. 1f

THE REASON

that many buy their BOOTS AND SHOES

OF D. B. STETSON

is that his trade is so large that he can sell at a few cents profit on each pair, and will also warrant all his goods to be as represented, but if any should prove poor, he would be pleased to have them returned and exchanged for others. Please read some of the prices and judge for yourselves:

Men's Heavy Rubber Boots, at \$2.50 per pr. Men's Thick Tap Sole Boots, at \$2.25 per pr. Men's Extra Tap and Double Sole, at \$3.00 per pr. Women's Rubber Overs, at 30 cents per pr. Women's Rubber Leggings, at \$1.25 per pr. Women's Wool Heeled Buskins, at 60 cents per pr. Women's Wool Heeled Boots (Heavy), at \$1 per pr. Women's Glove Flannel Lined Heel Buskins, at \$1 per pr. Misses' Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, in great variety and at Lower Prices than can be found at any other place.

Men's Calf Sewed Boots, at \$3.75 per pr. Men's Heavy Double Sole & Tap Brogans, at \$1.45 per pr.

Please remember that repairing Rubber and Leather Boots and Shoes is done in the best manner and at short notice.

D. B. STETSON, Washington Street, QUINCY. Quincy, Dec. 8. 1f

TO LET, NEAR Stone Temple, part of a house consisting of five or six rooms. Apply to PATRIOT OFFICE. Quincy, Dec. 8. 1f

TO LET, THE BUILDING ON SOUTH STREET, lately occupied by John D. Wheeler & Co. as a Boot Manufactory. Apply to WM. PARKER, 21 Quincy Avenue. Quincy, Nov. 3. 1f

TO LE TWO LARGE ROOMS, recently occupied by French & Ross, in Faxon's Block, on Hancock street. Apply to A. F. BRESSETT, at the New Photograph. HENRY H. FAXON. Quincy, Oct. 27. 1f

TO LET, THE ROOMS recently occupied by the Quincy Laundry. These rooms are light and pleasant, and suitable for manufacturing purposes. Apply to JOHN HALL. Quincy, Oct. 20. 1f

FOR SALE, 3 BUILDING LOTS, on elevated land, near corner of Washington and Elm streets. These lots are within five minutes walk of the Depot, and near churches and schools. For particulars apply to BENJ. F. CURTIS. Quincy, Sept. 15. 1f

TO LET, A HOUSE on Cottage Street. Inquire of J. T. & W. V. HAYWARD. Quincy, July 22. 1f

HOUSE LOTS FOR SALE. LOTS numbered 3, 4, 7, 8, 9, 12, 13, 24, on TOWN HILL, so called, and bounded by Copeland and Centre streets, Quincy. Also, a lot of land situated at Hough Neck, near the beach, and No. 35, on plan drawn by E. G. Pratt. For particulars, apply to JOHN CRANE, Franklin Street. Quincy, April 8. 1f

TO LET, A modern built, Mansard roof house, nearly new, containing eight rooms, situated on Edwards street, recently occupied by T. H. Wason. C. H. HARDWICK. Quincy, June 23. 1f

Boards Wanted. THE undersigned is now prepared to accommodate such as desire first-class board with well furnished and pleasant rooms, and a table supplied with the

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 22, 1877.

THE DRUGGIST'S BOY.

Polley & Co., druggists, got a new errand boy, Saturday. He came from the country, and was brought in by his mother, an inoffensive-looking woman in a white and yellow shawl. The boy was not prepossessing in appearance, but he looked honest, and was ambitious to learn the drug business. He was domiciled at once, and his mother drove away.

Shortly after, Mr. Polley said to him going to the door, and pointing across the bridge to the house of a citizen:

"Do you see that place?"

"Yes sir."

"Well, you go there, and take these pills," handed him a box containing six pills.

The boy seemed rather diffident, but he started with them. When he took the parcel he stared at Mr. Polley, and when he was going out of the door he turned around, and gave his employer a searching glance. But the gentleman paid no particular attention to the lad's actions thinking it arose from the embarrassment of his new situation. About ten minutes later, Mr. Polley's notice was attracted to the fact that something was occurring on the street above the store. A number of boys were running in that direction, while several men had stopped and were looking intently the same way. He stepped to the door, and turning his eyes towards the bridge, discovered quite a crowd assembled thereon and almost immediately saw that the new boy, bareheaded, and with his hair standing straight up, was leaning over the rail, and making a noise that sounded somewhat like scooping water from an almost empty wooden pail with a dipper, while at every paroxysm the crowd grew more anxious. Mr. Polley hurried to the spot, and finally succeeded as death. His hat had dropped into the in getting the youth to the store. He was as weak as a rag, and as white in the face stream and floated away.

"What on earth is the matter?" asked the startled employer.

"Oh!" sobbed the boy, squirming around in the chair.

Mr. Polley eyed him in blank astonishment.

"It's them pills!" grasped the poor wretch.

"What pills?"

"Them pills you told me to take."

"Good gracious! you don't tell me you swallowed those pills," and Mr. Polley clutched the desk for support.

"Didn't you tell me to go up to that house and take 'em?" whined the boy, with a glance of reproach at his employer.

Mr. Polley was too dumbfounded to open his mouth. He looked at the new boy as if he had been a god with three legs, who had just come up through the floor.

"I thought it kinder queer that you'd send me up to that house to take them pills when I could a took 'em here, an' run into the cellar," sobbed the unhappy youth, holding his head in his hands and weaving his body to and fro.

"Still Mr. Polley did not speak.

"But ma told me I must do everything you said, without a word, he whined with a gasp and a shiver, as a recollection of the awful result of his faithfulness came over him.

Mr. Polley took one or two turns across the floor at a distracted pace.

"Has your mother gone home?"

"No, she's a tradin'. She's a coming here afore she goes home."

Mr. Polley resumed his march. A moment later his partner came in. Mr. Polley took him one side.

"I'm going home," he said in a whisper. "When the mother of that boy comes along send him with her. Tell her he don't suit. For heaven's sake," he added, as he noticed an expression of wonder in his partner's face, "don't ask me for any explanation. I'll tell you all to-night." And jamming his hat over his eyes he stalked moodily away.

The new boy went home with his mother, with a handkerchief tied over his head—and this singular headress in connection with the reproachful expression of his face as he departed, quite overcome Mr. Polley's partner, who was now aware of the cause.—Danbury News.

Lamp-chimneys may be, in a measure, prevented from sudden cracking, by immersion in cold water in a suitable vessel, the last being set on the stove until the water boils. The chimney is then removed, and allowed to cool slowly.

He was Puzzled.

Can you tell me the road to Greenville?" asked a Yankee traveller of a young boy whom he met on the road.

"Yes, sir," said the boy. "Do you see our barn down there?"

"Yes," said he.

"Go to that. About three hundred yards beyond the barn you will find the lane. Take that lane and follow along about a mile and a half. Then you'll come to a slippery elm log. You be mighty keeful, stranger, about going on that log—you may git into the branch—and then you may go on up until you get to the brow of the hill, and there the roads prevaricate; but you take the left hand road, and keep that until you get into the big plum thicket, and when you get there, why then—then—then—"

"What then?"

"Then stranger, I'll be hanged if you ain't lost."

The Reason Why.

A correspondent to an exchange talks sound sense, as follows:

Why don't you take the papers? they're the life of my delight, except about election time, and then I read for spite. Subscribe, you cannot lose a cent; why should you be afraid? for cash thus spent is money lent at interest fourfold paid. Go, then, and take the papers, and pay to-day nor pay delay, and my word, it is inferred, you'll live until you're gray. An old neighbor of mine, while dying of a cough desired to hear the latest news, while he was going off. I took the paper, and I read of some new pills in force; he bought a box—and is he dead? no—hearty as a horse. I know two men as near alike as ever you saw two stumps; and no phrenologist could find a difference in their bumps. One takes the paper and he is happier than a king, his children can all read and write and talk of men and things. The other takes no paper, and, while strolling around the wood, a tree fell down and broke his crown, and killed him—very good." Had he been reading all the news, at home with neighbor Jim, I'll bet a cent that accident would not have happened him, for he who takes the paper, and pays his bills when due, can live in peace with every man and with his printer too.

The Poker would Answer.

"And, above all, my love," were the parting words of a Detroit woman to her daughter, as she had to convey the newly-wedded pair to the depot drew up at the door—"above all, Nellie, if you shall quarrel (for Reginald is but a man and life is full of thorns), remember that your first duty is to yourself as a lady and a housekeeper. Order and neatness above all things. Never hit your husband with a rolling-pin or a potato-smasher. You could never forgive yourself if the result of such a blow were to be; the appearance of a hair at table in a dish of smashed potatoes or in pie-crust when you had company at tea. The poker will do quite as well and is infinitely more ladylike. Good bye. Write every day, and don't forget your poor old mother. Boo! hoo!"

Patent Safety Lamp

— AND —
SURPRISE BURNER.

INSURANCE REPORTS show that over TWELVE HUNDRED and FIFTY lives, and over THIRTY THOUSAND DOLLARS worth of property are annually destroyed by accidents from Kerosene Oil, caused by upsetting lamps while burning, dropping the lamp, or extinguishing the light by blowing down the chimney.

THIS ENTIRE SACRIFICE OF LIFE AND PROPERTY CAN POSITIVELY BE PREVENTED BY THE USE OF THE

Patent Safety Lamps

— AND —
SURPRISE BURNERS.

Cannot be filled while lighted! Cannot explode if dropped! Cannot explode if overturned! Blowing out the light, unnecessary! Extinguished as easily as gas.

FOR SALE BY

W. W. EWELL & CO.

Quincy, Oct. 6.

1000 GALLONS

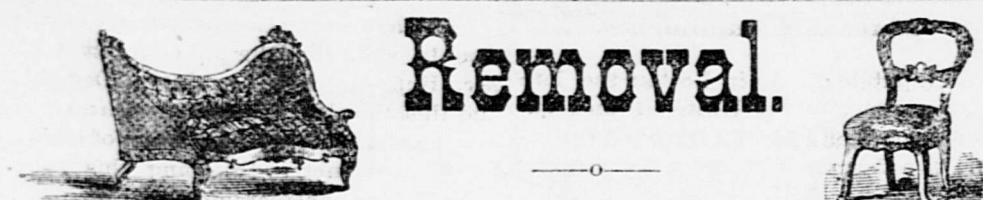
Pure Cider Vinegar,

FOR SALE AT

N. B. FURNALD'S.

Washington Street.

Quincy, Aug. 25.



KEATING & SPEAR

Would announce that they have leased the Store recently occupied by J. H. VRAZIE, on HANCOCK STREET, together with the basement thereof, and now offer to the public their Stock of

New and Second-Hand Furniture, Bedding, Paper Hangings, Hardware, PAINTS, OILS, &c.

We shall make a specialty of the CENTENNIAL SAFETY OIL, 160 fire test. We have a large number of patrons who have used it upwards of a year, and all pronounce it the BEST ILLUMINATING OIL manufactured. It is as clear as water, gives a white light, and is perfectly safe.

In FURNITURE, we shall keep a good assortment of BEDSTEADS, BUREAUS, SINKS, TABLES, CHAIRS, LOUNGES, &c.

We intend to give a large share of attention to PREPARED PAINTS, of which, the last two or three years we have sold an immense quantity with entire satisfaction.

Being experienced in selling and handling HOUSE PAPERS and BORDERS, we feel confident we can offer such PAPERS as will suit any that may desire such goods.

Our KITCHEN FURNISHING GOODS will comprise Wash Tubs, Boards, and Benches, Brooms, Brushes, Skirt Boards, Pastry Boards, Clothes Pins, Rolling Pins, &c., &c.

In our STOCK OF HARDWARE can be found Nails, Screws, Brads, Tacks, Locks, Knobs, Bolts, Hooks, Hinges, Tools, Cutlery and HOUSE TRIMMINGS generally.

Window Glass, Putty, Putty Knives, Paint Brushes, Machine Oil, Machine Needles, Curtains and Fixtures. Curtain and Picture Cord and Tassels constantly on hand.

Our success in business the last seven years, we attribute to the very liberal patronage bestowed on us by the people of Quincy and vicinity; and we shall endeavor by close cash buying and moderate profits to merit it in future.

N. B. We are still Agents for the sale of COAL and WOOD for Cyprian Patch, and all orders left at our New Store will receive prompt attention.

KEATING & SPEAR.

Hancock Street.

Quincy, Oct. 13, 1877.

THE STEINAU JEWELRY CO.'S FOR ONE DOLLAR! IMPERIAL CASKET.

And New Illustrated Catalogue, with instructions how to become Agents.



Our Imperial Casket contains one pair of Lady's Bracelets, one Roman Neck Chain and Locket, one set of Studs, one pair of Sleeve Buttons, one Lady's Set (Ear-Rings and Pin), one Seal Ring, one engraved "Friendship" Ring, one Plain Ring, one embossed Collar Button; all of which are the finest gold-plate, warranted to stand the test of solid gold, and exactly as represented by the engravings in this announcement. On receipt of One Dollar we will send this grand array of elegant jewelry, securely packed in a beautiful morocco casket, postpaid, to any address. Our illustrated catalogue accompanies every casket free. Having one of the Imperial Caskets in our possession, we must say that, while the articles are not solid gold, they are beautiful imitations and very pretty, each particular piece being equally as good as are sold in the city jewelry stores. "ENTRUSTED HOUSE" & "FRIENDSHIP" RINGS. An honorable house, entitled to the confidence of their patrons. "EDITOR CHRISTIAN WORLD." We endorse the high order of respectability attached to the Steinau Jewelry Co., Ed. BOSTON GLOBE. "To assure our patrons of our responsibility, we refer to any reliable business house in Cincinnati, and by permission to the commercial agency of Tappan, McKillop and Co." Mail all orders to STEINAU JEWELRY COMPANY, No. 5 Arcade, CINCINNATI, O.

R. E. MOVAL.

WILLIAM B. RYAN, PRACTICAL PLUMBER,

HAS REMOVED TO

Shop first door north of the National Granite Bank, Hancock St., Quincy, where he

KEEPS constantly on hand, Sheet Lead; Lead Pipe, Water Closets various kinds, Forcing and Suction Pumps, Bath Tubs, and Boilers, Wash-Bowls, various patterns, Brass and Plated Cocks, &c., &c.

PUMPS OF ALL KINDS REPAIRED.

Orders from the Towns adjoining promptly attended to.

Quincy, Oct. 20.

ROBERTSON HOUSE,

QUINCY, MASS.

This new brick Hotel, on Hancock Street, is now open for the accommodation of guests. It is provided with all modern improvements, such as Steam Heat, Bath Rooms, Water Closets, &c., and a very fine DRAMATIC HALL or BALL ROOM.

PLEASURE PARTIES can find here all the comforts formerly enjoyed at the old Lexington House.

W. P. F. MESSENGER.

Quincy Dec. 16.

Bill Posting.

THE subscriber is prepared to carry to all parts of Quincy, Bills, Circulars, Programmes, Cards, &c., at short notice.

Also, to POST BILLS in the most conspicuous and best places in town.

Prompt and careful attention given to all orders.

CHARLES T. STANCOMBE.

Quincy, Nov. 3.

SINGING BIRDS, FOR SALE.

THE subscriber has just received at his Aviary on Washington Street, rear of D. F. French's Boarding Establishment, a large variety of "Feathered Songsters," including

Canaries, Mocking Birds, Bullfinches, Cardinals, &c., which he will dispose of at reasonable rates.

Also—BIRD CAGES.

Constantly on hand and for sale.—Seeds Gravel Paper, and Cage Springs.

FRANK W. FRENCH.

Quincy, Sept. 22.

Removal.



For the Patriot.

New York Fashions.

CITY GOSSIP.

It is one thing to have a new bonnet, it is another thing to know how to wear it. A fashionable milliner said to me, "Wear your hair higher, and then put your bonnet away up on the top." She gave my braids a friendly push, and triumphantly placing a high ascending specimen of her art upon the summit, remarked with a satisfied air, "Now you look stylish!" With an exceedingly dissatisfied feeling I undid her work, and remarked sensibly that I thought I looked foolish. "Oh, never mind," was the answer, "it's stylish." To my regret I find she was right. Extremists do just as she would have had me do. They wear their hair in lofty fortifications far away at the back of their heads, and like a turret on a battlement, the bonnet is perched above. Fortunately, however, they are in the minority, and such absurdity is not a necessity.

Shapes are "nothing in particular."

That is to say, there is no one feature or features which stand prominently forth.

Crowns are neither high nor low, nor are brims either wide or narrow. Nevertheless, we have both hard and soft crowns, and as to brims, they speak at least a dozen different languages. We have saucy brims, tender brims, severe brims, coquettish brims, brims turning up and brims going down, etc., etc., to say nothing of dignified brims, poetical brims, very youthful brims, full fledged young lady brims, matronly brims, and elderly brims. But the last mentioned are few and far between, for as a rule New York ladies do not grow old. This does not mean that they are a short lived race; far from it. Youth here extends almost if not fully as far as the days allotted to man's entire pilgrimage upon this planet, nor do silvered locks oppose any obstacle to young lady brims, filled in with all the colors of the rainbow. For just now all the colors of the rainbow are in favor, not only in millinery, but in dress goods. Not in plain material, however, for here without exception the colors are dark, but in the bourette fabrics (which, combined with plain goods, are the rage) we find the brightest and most varied hues mixed up in the most indiscriminate and haphazard way. For a black costume, ladies now prefer the Teillard silks above all others, since while unexcelled for beauty of finish and durability, they are full twenty-four inches wide, this being a gain of from three to four inches on every yard. Made of pure silk only, they are free from changing, and are warranted not to turn greasy with wear.

CHILDREN'S FASHIONS.

Bourette goods are as popular for school girls as for ladies, but are hardly adapted for young children. For misses a favorite selection is dark bourette goods piped with bright red, and coquettishly finished here and there with a bright red bow to match, while for small children, plain dark materials are chosen, and these in like manner are brightened by gay additions. Pippings of blue or yellow are also seen, but are not in as great favor as red. In consequence of such preferences we find that Scotch plaids are seldom worn, but in lieu thereof are small Shepherds checks, finished with bright pippings, and sometimes combined with black velvet sleeves. In this case wide bands of black velvet afford a pleasing harmony in the way of ornamentation. For girls between the ages of four and twelve the Breton dress or the robe Princesse afford charming models. The Rita is likewise extremely pretty, being especially adapted to combination suits, while the Mildred, always very stylish, is usually selected for costumes of check with velvet. LUCY CARTER.

W. H. SNOW

GUARANTEES to cure Piles, Neuralgia, and all diseases of the

LIVER and KIDNEYS.

He has also a sure and perfectly safe remedy for WORMS IN CHILDREN.

MEDICINES may be procured at his residence on Randolph Avenue, one mile from Milton village; or at G. W. Tarbox's store, East Milton; also at Mr. Frederick Hardwick's store on Franklin street, Quincy.

Mr. Snow will use the

ELECTRIC BATTERY

On persons who desire its application in cases of Neuralgia, Rheumatism and Paralysis.

Milton, Nov. 17.

AMERICAN BREAKFAST CEREALS

White Wheat Barley Food. A.B.C. Oat Meal.

Very desirable for FAMILIES, HOTELS, HOSPITALS, ASYLUMS and all institutions for children and all SHIPPING. The most White Wheat Barley Food and Oat Meal. The most Nutritious, the Most Easily Digested, the Most Palatable, the Most Economical of all food. Thoroughly cooked by our patent steam process and being desiccated, will keep in all climates. Can be prepared for the table in twenty minutes boiling. For sale by all first-class grocers and to the trade by

The Cereals Manufacturing Co.,

18 COLLEGE PLACE, N. Y.

Xmas Wonder Box

contains: 150 Transfer Pictures, 50 Scrap Book Pictures, 140 Embossed Pictures, 2 Xmas Cards, 1 Xmas Motto, 12 sheets Letter Paper, 12 Envelopes, 1 Pencil, 3 Pens, 25 Wood Splints, 20 Patterns of Fancy Work, 1 Game of Age Cards, 40 Silhouettes, 1 Xmas Flag, 4 sheets Fancy Paper, 2 Tags, 10 Solids, 6 dolls Heads, 2 Book Marks, 25 Comic Cards, 1 puzzle card—all in a pretty picture box for gifts; by mail, 50cts. J. JAY GOULD, 10 Broad St. Boston, Mass.

Quincy, Oct. 2.

Poster Printing, Cheap!

At the Patriot Office

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 22, 1877.

George W. Holt of Marlboro' has a ball of lead weighing 37 pounds which he has been six years in accumulating out of foil from chewing tobacco, inclusive of the contributions of many friends. Each pound of lead represents 64 papers of tobacco. He is still adding from time to time to the curious and weighty mass.

Stacy, Adams & Jones, Brockton, have produced an average of 500 pairs of shoes per day, ever since the 9th of July, and have only shut down a few days this fall to take an account of stock.

The highest vote any candidate received at the recent election in Boston, was 46,874, thrown for Miss Peabody for School Committee.

Who is able to guess the name of the couple who are to hitch up at Christmas?

SPORTING. Mr. Fred S. Bates has shot nineteen rabbits this season in the woods around South Weymouth.

OVERDONE. Why don't some enterprising young men go into the meat business in Weymouth? There are only 31 carts and 12 markets, besides about 30 grocery stores to supply the town with meat.—Gazette.

In Philadelphia last week a German was found living with his wife and five children, in a filthy shanty, in the same apartment with a horse, a cow, several geese and goats, and half a dozen hogs and their progeny, the family being separated from them only by a board partition extending about half the height of the building. Near by was a pen where 84 hogs were kept. The shanty is in the midst of a marsh, and the stench from the place was so sickening that a police who explored the locality had to summon extra courage to approach.

Over four thousand barrels of cranberries have been shipped from the Sandwich railroad station this year, against some thirteen hundred barrels a year ago; showing a large increase in shipment though the prices have ruled much lower.

Over a hundred millions of diminution in the valuation of the Commonwealth this year as over last year. An increase of nearly 5000 polls and 4500 dwelling houses. Highest taxation, \$29; lowest, \$4.48; average, \$13.14.

In Norway, Christmas is celebrated as a national feast. All work is suspended for thirteen days. Through Christmas Eve and Day, the merry making is entirely domestic. On the following day the neighbors assemble at each other's houses by turns for carousing. The houses are kept open and the tables richly spread. On these occasions the servants sit at the table with the family. In Sweden there is a custom practiced of hanging up in front of every house at Christmas, a small sheaf of wheat for the winter provision of the birds in that inclement climate.

A singular freak of nature in the Butler County Oil region, is a well which produces absolutely refined oil. It is as clear as that passed through the retort, and in color and illuminating properties equal to the best the Standard Company can produce. Besides this, it is perfectly safe, being above the ordinary fire test.

Nathaniel Minard of Salem, Ct., is a character. He is over 90 years old, and is a confirmed miser, though rich. He has had his coffin in his room for twenty years, and his grave, which he dug himself to save expense, has been waiting for him that length of time.

Ice did not become an article of commerce until the present century; but already in the United States alone, thirty millions of dollars are invested in the business of gathering and selling it. Large shipments of ice are made to South America and Asia, and European nations supplying themselves with ice from Norway. There has been a remarkable increase in the use of the article in the United States since 1845, when only 50,000 tons of it were used. In the year 1876 the consumers bought 2,500,000 tons, and probably 5,000,000 tons more were cut. Beer brewers are the best customers of the ice companies, several using 30,000 tons of ice annually.

Mutual Compliments.

At a public dinner in Boston the late Justice Story of the United States supreme court and Mr. Everett were present, the former presiding. In one of those felicitous little speeches for which he was distinguished, he concluded by calling Mr. Everett up and saying: "Fame travels where Everett goes." Mr. Everett's remarks, bright and scholarly, as was always the case with him closed with the repartee: "However far and high my name may go, it can never rise above one Story."

CHESTNUTS. Fourteen bushels of chestnuts have been sent this fall through the mails in small packages from Merriam county, N. H., to Helena, Montana. The postage on the lot was \$102.37.

Representative B. W. Harris of Massachusetts has in hand a scheme for the creation of a new navy to cost \$50,000,000, of which \$5,000,000 shall be appropriated annually.

A STIR. Of the 8000 bar-rooms in New York city not more than 1000 were open on the 8th inst. Many more were accessible through side doors, but generally there was a cessation of the liquor business. This was the result of the wholesale arrests on Thursday and Friday nights of unlicensed dealers, hundreds of whom were arraigned in the Police Court Saturday and released on bail. The prisoners represented all grades in the traffic, from the keeper of the fashionable Broadway restaurant to the keeper of the Baxter street "bucket shop." All this is in consequence of a jumble of the excise laws. The Supreme Court has decided, under existing acts, that the Excise Commission can give licenses only to hotels; therefore none have been issued this year to bar-rooms not really connected with hotels.

Summary of News.

A Clinton man has been sued for the cost of his wedding party in 1872.

Female tramps are numerous and insulting in Southern Berkshire.

The People of Sheffield, England, are convinced that it will require all the energy of the place to keep pace with America in the hardware line.

The brick yards at Hooksett, N. H., turn out 15,000,000 bricks annually and consume 6000 cords of wood.

Theron Lane, of Rockland, recently slaughtered a porker who turned the scale at 646 pounds.

Utica leads in cold, this season, as the mercury there was 12° below zero on the morning of the 2d of December.

Seventy-one of the men and officers lost in the Huron have been buried near the place where they died.

Although the English are, in the aggregate the wealthiest people in the world, one person in every 33 of the population of England and Wales is a pauper.

Liverpool has now decided upon getting water from Wales at a cost of \$6,250,000.

M. T. Sullivan, an Illinois farmer, has gathered over 1,000,000 bushels of corn this year.

Two widowers in Perry County, Texas, have just married each a daughter of the other.

The largest fat ox ever known on the Cape was slaughtered a few days since by Mr. R. E. Holmes of Yarmouth. He weighed on the hoof 1990 pounds.

Tramps in Peabody now have to pay for lodging at the police station by working at hammering stone for two hours, in the rear of the station.

A Galveston man has a specimen Brazilian hog, weight one and a half pound, age six months. The mother is still smaller. The whole family of six may be carried in an ordinary hand basket.

A ten foot high statue of Shakespeare by Von Muller is soon to grace some public location in St. Louis.

There was a child at the baby show lately held in Boston, which was born ten hours after its mother's death.

The Charlotte (N. C.) Observer, steps up with a sow ten years old that has raised 149 pigs—22,250 pounds of pork—\$2,235.

DONALD G. McRAE, MERCHANT TAILOR.

RESPECTFULLY announces that he has taken a Store in the building recently erected by Dr. French, on

Chestnut Street,

Opposite the Congregational Church, where he will keep constantly on hand a Select and Desirable Assortment of

Cloths, Cassimeres, and Vestings,

which he will manufacture to order into Garments, in the Highest Style of the Art, and at the Lowest Living Rates.

He takes this opportunity to thank the citizens of Quincy and vicinity for their former generous patronage, and will endeavor to merit a continuance of the same.

Quincy, Sept. 29.

The County Commissioners of this County state that the jail contract with Mr. Buffum would terminate Dec. 31, and that they had contracted with a chair manufacturer for the bottoming of chairs by the prisoners. In doing this they hope to save considerable expense.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

YOU can buy at
D. B. STETSON'S
Men's Rubber Boots, at \$2.50 per pr.
Men's Thick Tap-Sole Boots, 2.25
Men's Socks, at 6 to 12 cts. per "

MEN'S RUBBER COATS.
At \$1.00 less than others are selling.

We have a Large Stock of
BOOTS & SHOES.

On hand which we will sell at
Less Prices than Others!

WITHOUT REGARD TO COST.
COME ONE!! COME ALL!!!
And buy your Boots and Shoes of

D. B. STETSON
Washington Street, Quincy.
Dec. 1, 1877.

HOGS! HOGS!!

THE subscriber would inform the public that he is prepared to

DRESS HOGS,
in the best manner, and at short notice. Orders will receive prompt attention by being left with ELISHA HOBART, Pearl Street, or WILLIAM HOBART, Penn's Hill.

Quincy, Nov. 3.

LUMBER.

The undersigned having leased

CANAL WHARF,

(Opposite the Polishing Works.)

ARE receiving and shall continue to receive a Full Assortment of LUMBER and

Building Materials,

Consisting in part of

SPRUCE FRAMES.

DIMENSION

Pine, Spruce,

and Hemlock

Covering Boards.

Sheathing, Shelving and Base.

Pine, Spruce,

and Hard Pine

FLOORING.

Matched Roofing Boards,

Clapboards,

Shingles,

Laths,

Pickets.

Lime, Cement, Plaster,

HAIR, &c., &c.

—ALSO—

Gutters, Conductors,

and Mouldings.

All of which will be sold

Cheap for Cash.

On Wharf, or delivered promptly to order.

LAKIN & CO.

Quincy, June 3, 1876.

CARD.

THE undersigned, formerly of W. F. LAKIN & CO., now of LAKIN & CO., would respectfully announce to the citizens of Quincy and vicinity, that he may be found as above, where he will be happy to see all of his old friends and the public generally.

Very thankful for your previous patronage, would respectfully ask a continuance of the same. Respectfully yours,

Quincy, June 3.

W. F. LAKIN

CYRUS PATCH,

DEALER IN

FRANKLIN COAL,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY;

LEHIGH, LACKAWANNA,

And Best Quality of

SHAMOKIN COAL.

—ALSO—

CUMBERLAND COAL,

For Blacksmiths' and Steam Purposes.

HARD AND SOFT WOOD,

SAWED AND SPLIT.

WHARF AT QUINCY POINT.

OFFICE. — At Keating & Spear's Furniture Store, on Hancock Street, where orders, large and small, may be left at all hours of the day.

Small quantities of Wood and Coal will be kept at this Store to supply immediate demand. All orders promptly attended to.

A share of public patronage solicited.

CYRUS PATCH.

Quincy, May 1.

FAMILY COAL

Genuine Franklin Coal,

OF LYKEN'S VALLEY.

STERLING SHAMOKIN,

—AND—

White Ash and Cumberland Coals.

WOOD.

Nova Scotia Oak and Pine,

SAWED TO ANY LENGTH.

—AND—

SPLIT KINDLINGS.

Orders left at G. F. Wilson's, George Saville's, E. A. Adams', P. O. Box 295, or with the subscriber, will receive prompt attention.

D. HOWARD BILLS.

Quincy, Oct. 20.

O. C.

They are Selling Goods at

PRICES

TO SUIT THE TIMES,

AT

LOMBARD'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

Quincy, Nov. 21.

A CARD.

MR. OWEN TREANOR, (of the late firm of Treanor & McTear) would announce to his friends and the public that he may be found at the Clothing Establishment of F. A. Spear, on Hancock street, where he would be pleased to have them call and see him.

Quincy, Aug. 18.

Provision Store.

THE subscriber, thankful for past favors, would inform his friends and the public that a good supply of

FRESH MEAT, FISH,

—AND—

PROVISIONS,

usually kept in Country Store, can be found at his establishment.

CANNED BAKED BEANS, just the article for Picnic Parties. Try them.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

in their season, constantly on hand

§§ All orders attended to with dispatch.

CHARLES CRANE,

HANCOCK STREET.

Quincy, June 23.

A Full Line

—OF—

RUBBER GOODS!

RUBBER Coats, Blankets, Leggings,

Caps. Also a very LARGE STOCK of

RUBBER BOOTS,

Arctic, Alaskan, and Inuit Sandals. Selling at the

Lowest Possible Prices.

GEORGE SAVILLE,

90 Hancock Street,

Quincy, Nov. 21.

Budget of Fun.

A small but precocious lad who had been teasing his father for a penny, to buy candy at Wilson's, the other day, was asked by his father, who had just finished reading the morning paper, "If he supposed the Lord's Prayer could be engraved in a space no larger than the area of a nickel cent?" "Well, yes, father, if a cent is as big in everybody's eye as it is in yours, I think there would be no difficulty in putting it on about four times."

When a small boy with a prejudice against yellow dogs observes an old oyster can in a condition of inactivity he at once begins debating the question whether it was created to point a moral or adorn a tale. The dog gets the first news of the decision.

"You have often," said the clergyman "heard the brethren say 'Amen! amen!' while some was praying. What did they mean? If any one knows let him hold up his hand." Up jumped a little fellow, so eager to answer as not to wait for recognition. "I know!" he called out. "It means hurry up and get through." There was an audible smile.

"Tintion!" exclaimed an Irish sergeant to his platoon; "front face and 'tind to rowl call. As many of ye as is prisint will say 'Here,' and as many of ye as is not prisint will say 'Absint.'"

An afflictionate wife at South Quincy, who had become somewhat irritated by a remark of her liege lord, said:—"My dear, don't be eternally finding fault with the fashion. If you don't like the style of my hair don't dress yours in that way, that's all. If I were to follow your example I should have to wear my hair bald-headed."

Kind Mother at a window. "Danny, boy, hurry in. If yer don't, yer ham an' yer eggs, an' yer nice cup o' tay will be spoiled." Obedient son on the sidewalk.—"Truly, mother, have you ham an' eggs? Ah! yer foolin' me. Ah! yer only foolin' me." Kind Mother.—"Whist ye devil! I'm kiddin' the neighbors?"

"When does a man feel the value of a true wife?" It is when he wakes up withing at two A. M., after a watermelon and clam fritter seance, and finds the angel of his household standing by his bed-side with a benignant smile on her countenance and a seven-be-nign-ant mustard plaster in her hand.

Some people place their ideas of happiness upon one thing and some upon another. A lady made a call upon a friend who had lately been married. When her husband came to dinner, she said: "I have been to see Mrs. —." "Well," replied the husband, "I suppose she is very happy." "Happy? I should think she ought to be; she has a camel's hair shawl, two-thirds border!"

Stoves! Stoves!

The subscriber has on hand, and is prepared to furnish

Cook, Parlor, and Office

STOVES,

OF THE BEST PATTERNS,

AT REASONABLE RATES.

Any STOVE, not in stock, will be obtained at short notice.

TIN WARE

—AND—

Kitchen Furnishing Goods

CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

Also, —SINKS, LEAD PIPE and SHEET LEAD.

FURNACES AND RANGES

Set and Repaired.

Jobbing promptly attended to.

E. S. FELLOWS.

Quincy, Oct. 13.

Elm Street Market.

THE subscriber would inform his customers that he is now prepared to furnish them with his usual supply of

Poultry, Meats, Lard, Eggs,

&c., &c., &c.

at the LOWEST MARKET RATES. And a good selection of

Superior Family Groceries,

KEPT CONSTANTLY ON HAND.

FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES,

IN THEIR SEASON.

§§ Orders respectfully solicited and promptly attended to.

HENRY S. TOTMAN.

Quincy, May 13.

The Quincy Patriot.

With Supplement.

SATURDAY, DEC. 29, 1877.

Short communications and items of news earnestly solicited from friends and patrons. Anonymous communications are not published.

THE HEARING. The Board of Engineers of the fire department, held a meeting in the Selectmen's room on Thursday evening, when, after a discussion of the evidence presented to them on the evening previous, it was voted to sustain their action, of last week, at which time they disclaimed the Granite Engine Company of West Quincy, and expelled from the department Charles F. Lapham, foreman of the Vulture Engine Company at the Point. The vote, however, was not unanimous, some of the engineers being in favor of leniency and putting the offenders on probation.

A FAMILY GATHERING. Four generations partook of a Christmas dinner at the residence of C. R. Sherman at Wollaston. The great grand-children were Benj. Woodward and wife of Charleston, each eighty-five years of age, and who have been married sixty-five years. They walked to and from the depot, refusing to ride, saying they needed the exercise.

Mr. Woodward served his country in the war of 1812.

THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH. This edifice was handsomely festooned, and the huge Christmas Tree looked "a thing of beauty" in the strong light thrown upon it by reflectors, and made a picture long to be remembered no less for this than for the delightful thoughts and associations expressed and intertwined among its branches. The company who assembled here were made equally happy with those at the other churches.

The services Christmas Day were of an interesting character.

INVENTORY FILED. At the Probate Court held in Dedham on the 19th inst. John Q. A. Field, John E. Drake and Theophilus King, Jr., filed their inventory on the estate of the late John D. Whitcher of this town, which was appraised at \$266,004.67.

THE UNITARIANS. This Society erected their tree at the Town Hall, and there a large group of children were made happy by the presents, distributed by the hands of Messrs. C. A. Foster, E. H. Dewson, Chas. A. Howland and Rufus Foster. Eight o'clock saw this tree stripped of its precious freight, and then the music for dancing called on the floor a happy company of children, which soon gave place to an older but no less happy company, who whiled away the hours—all too fleeting—as they trod the measures of the quadrille, or whirled in the mazes of the waltz, to excellent music, until the hour of twelve ushered in the Christmas morning.

CHRISTMAS AT THE UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Christmas services of a very pleasing character were held at the Universalist church on Christmas eve. After an introductory piece by the choir, a recitation by little Josie Burrell, and an excellent selection by Geo. W. Penniman, came the distribution of presents. Owing to the liberality of our well-known townsman, H. H. Faxon, and the contributions of the parish, every scholar was supplied with a present of considerable value, and we noticed some most useful articles on the tree. There were also presents from the scholars to the teachers, some of them really fine. The pastor was the recipient of a nice dressing gown from the Bible class, and was also remembered with a choice lot of books, including Olshausen's Commentary, of six volumes. And the faithful Superintendent, Mr. John O. Hall, was not forgotten, as was evident when Santa Claus passed over to his keeping a fine black marble clock. Altogether, the occasion was rarely pleasant, and must serve as the foundation of many golden memories in time to come.

SENTENCED FOR LIFE. Judge Ames held a session of the Supreme Court at Dedham Monday, for the purpose of arraigning Michael Murphy of Hingham, charged with murdering the old man William Appleton at Quincy, September 20. Attorney General Train asked the Court that the indictment be read. Hon. J. D. Long, counsel for Murphy, said the latter was ready to plead guilty to murder in the second degree. This was assented to by the Government, and after the reading of the indictment Murphy pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree, whereupon Judge Ames sentenced him to State Prison for life, one day in solitary confinement. Murphy stood up well until after the sentence when he broke down and cried like a child. The father of Murphy was present, and endeavored to cheer up his son's feelings.

METHODIST SABBATH SCHOOL. The Wollaston M. E. Sabbath School enjoyed a very pleasant entertainment Christmas evening, at the church on Beale street, commencing with singing, prayer, speaking, song, and a reading by Miss Mary Bracken, after which Santa Claus made his appearance with merry jingling bells, and favored the audience with a song; then followed the distribution of the presents, provided from the gift of Mr. Faxon and the amount raised by the church.

Brother Baker kindly presided in the absence of the pastor, who was unable to be present on account of sickness. A friend quietly sent a liberal and timely present of a winter's supply of coal and wood, Christmas eve, to the church, for which, in this way, the members desire to express their most hearty gratitude and thanks. It was indeed a direct answer to prayer and such friends as God gives in time of need are true friends indeed.

Mr. Faxon was voted a hearty vote of thanks by the Sabbath School for his generous gift, and he may be sure it will not be soon forgotten.

Local Items.

Sixteen hundred tramps have been accommodated with lodging and breakfast at the Quincy lockup, since the first day of March last.

The National Mount Wollaston Bank holds its annual meeting for stockholders, on Tuesday next.

Madame Arcan's dancing school will open Saturday, January 12th.

Last Monday evening a raid was made on the saloon kept by William Garbarino, better known as "Billy the Barber," but as everything was quiet at the time, he was not molested.

H. T. Reed & Co., sold at their grocery store, the day before Christmas over \$150 worth of candy.

The Quincy Almanac has been printed, and is now in the hands of the binder and will be ready to deliver to our citizens next week.

A generous hearted individual kindly remembered the Methodist Society at Wollaston on Christmas, by putting several loads of wood and coal in the Church cellar.

Tramps are numerous. Jos. T. French Superintendent of the lockup, says he accommodates from 15 to 20 a night. The business is rushing.

Nearly one ton of poultry was sold at G. F. Wilson's provision store for Christmas. Mr. Wilson says he could have sold a much larger quantity if he had had it.

Never have the storekeepers of Quincy received so liberal a patronage at Christmas time, as this year, and never did they advertise more freely.

If any of the parties who were swindled by the plant pedlar, should desire any information concerning him, they can obtain it by applying at this office.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. The chapel of this church was crowded to repletion Monday evening, with expectant faces, as they looked upon the fruit borne on the boughs of the two Christmas Trees, which were heavily laden with the offerings of friendship and love. After a short entertainment of song and recitation, the distribution commenced, being in the hands of Messrs. Jas. S. Baxter, John A. Pratt, C. W. Carter and Edward Southworth. It was nearly nine o'clock ere their labors were completed, and the happy company—happy in receiving and thrice happy in the enjoyment of those to whom they had given—wended their way home, and to the coming Merry Christmas.

Hearty and unanimous thanks were voted Mr. Faxon for his generous gifts to the children. He ought to have been at the chapel to witness their enjoyment, when he could have fully realized that "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

GLASS BALL SHOOT. The fourth in the series took place on Christmas morning. The following was the result at eighteen rods rise, and the trap was placed behind a screen:—

H. O. Studley,	73 per cent.
S. H. Spear,	53
Samuel Bess,	53
Pease Chubbuck,	40
P. B. Turner,	40
B. F. Buss,	33
Albert Keating,	13
David Law,	7

In the afternoon the following gentlemen shot with the trap in view:—

Myron Clark,	76 per cent.
Wyman B. Nightingale,	65
Owen Jones,	60
Charles Cummings,	60
Jasper B. Wentworth,	40
T. Switlin,	6

OFFICERS ELECTED. At the semi-annual convention of St. Pauls Lodge, No. 37, K. P., held on Wednesday evening last, the following officers were elected, who will be installed on January 9th: P. C.—Eldridge Cross. C. C.—B. F. Billings. V. C.—Wm. D. Glover. P.—Wm. H. H. Ridout. K. R. & S.—E. W. Underwood. M. F.—Christopher A. Spear. M. E.—John Q. A. Field. M. A.—Joseph Kendrick. Trustee.—George Saville. Rep.—Charles H. Edwards.

REAL ESTATE SALE. The West Boston Savings Bank sold recently land with buildings on the north side of Billings street, for \$2250, to Charles H. Nudd.

WOLLASTON. Dr. Carleton, the celebrated lecturer on phrenology, will lecture on temperance at the Congregational Church, Wollaston Heights, next Sunday evening, at 7 1/2 o'clock. He will show the relation of Alcohol to the living system; demonstrating the fact that Alcohol is not a Vitalizing Agent; that it cannot by any possibility under any circumstances, support vitality or impart strength to the system.

SUDDEN DEATH. Mr. Charles Clapp of Weymouth, proprietor of the Gaston House of that place, died suddenly Tuesday evening of congestion of the lungs. He was 65 years of age and leaves a wife and several children.

TABERNACLE SERVICES. Messrs. Moody and Sankey will open religious services at the Tabernacle, the first Sunday in February, and will continue them for two months.

FIRE IN EAST MILTON. The barn and carriage house of Mr. George Penniman at East Milton, were burned on Thursday morning about half-past one o'clock. The fire is believed to have been incendiary.

The Granite Engine was taken out of the house by Engineer Farrell, and was drawn part way to the fire by two horses, the company having been disbanded.

Travel between Boston and New York is large almost beyond precedent at this season of the year. Saturday night there were 350 passengers from Boston; and on Friday night 300 from New York, by the Fall River line, requiring six passenger coaches.

QUINCY REFORM CLUB. The close of the year finds us with brightened prospects. Our membership is on the increase, eleven new names having been proposed during the last two weeks. Our regular Saturday evening socials are well attended, each occasion being one of pleasure to all present, as evidenced by the joyous faces, and warm greetings of each to the other. If any one formerly a member of the Club, who thinks this cannot be, let him come down any Saturday night and see for himself. Then join us again and help along with a will. What we want is to get all the wills helping in a right direction. Thus every added will is welcome both as a pleasure to receive, and an added force for good. The Directors have voted to celebrate the New Year by opening the Gymnasium so that it will become again an active part of the institution. Miscellaneous reading will form a part of the entertainment for Saturday evening next. Hear, hear, you all people and respond accordingly.

DISTRICT COURT. Criminal business before the Court this week has been a little more brisk than usual; Frederick Miller, of Randolph, who has often ground his grist and never failed to take toll, was complained of for being drunk. After a careful examination he was found guilty, and sentenced to three months at the House of Correction.

Thomas Murphy and John Moynihan of Weymouth, who were desirous of finding "something good" to take, went to Randolph, where they kept everything in the liquor line, and got drunk. Judge Bumpus found them guilty of wetting their whistle, and imposed a fine and costs. But the poor fellows had spent all their change at the groggeries, and were unable to pay; therefore they were committed to the House of Correction.

Deputy Sheriff White seized about fifty gallons of ale and lager beer, at Wm. C. Stoddard's in Braintree, and Stoddard was ordered to appear before the Court. He was found guilty of keeping intoxicating liquors for sale, and was fined \$50 and costs; also given three months at the House of Correction.

Constable Garey seized about twenty-five gallons of ale and lager beer from Chas. T. Sumner at Braintree, and when Sumner was brought before the Court he was discharged.

Margaret Riley, of Randolph, for keeping a liquor nuisance, was fined \$50 and costs; also given three months at the House of Correction. From this sentence she appealed, but in default of sureties was committed to jail.

Sarah Noonan and Hannah Whittier, two sweet misses from Boston, went out to that noted town, Randolph, and drank to excess. Being brought before Judge Bumpus each was fined \$3 and costs. Finding themselves short of funds, like most all drunken persons, they were unable to pay, and were taken to the House of Correction.

Edward Gallagher and John McGinnis, of Braintree, were each fined \$5 and costs for an assault. Wm. F. Mahoney, of Randolph, was arraigned for an assault. His case was continued until next Thursday.

QUINCY FORTY-SEVEN YEARS AGO. While workmen were engaged in making alterations in the dwelling house of Mr. John R. Graham, a few days since, they came across the following papers, nicely stowed away behind a mantel-piece, which, barring a few nibbles taken from them by hungry mice, are in a fair state of preservation. As they best explain themselves, we publish them in full.

QUINCY, November 10th, 1830. The room and chamber was finished by Cotton & Henry G. Pratt, and for Daniel Baxter, son of William Baxter. The price we had was ninety dollars, and found cost. We are the men who built those four houses in front of Deacon Webb's bridge.

QUINCY, November 10th, 1830. At the present day the general character of this town is not good. We are backward in the grand Temperance movement. We are behind in our Redeemer's cause. Universalism prevails. Vice flourishes, and the Lord alone must save us.

There are many interesting incidents connected with the house from which these papers were taken, which was formerly known as the "Hen Tavern." Mr. E.—John Q. A. Field. M. A.—Joseph Kendrick. Trustee.—George Saville. Rep.—Charles H. Edwards.

ORDER PASSED. At a meeting of the Board of Aldermen of Boston, on Monday last, an order was passed requesting the Mayor to petition to the next General Court for such legislation as will enable the city of Boston, the county of Norfolk and the town of Quincy to connect Commercial Point with the town of Quincy by a bridge to Squantum, the expense of building and maintaining the same to be apportioned among the several parties as the Legislature may direct.

"RUM DID IT." A man named Croan, a blacksmith in the employ of J. Q. A. Wild & Co., cut his hand in a fearful manner Christmas day by breaking the glass in the window of David Gunville's liquor shop on Water street, while in an intoxicated condition. Dr. Underwood dressed the wound in a neat and skillful manner. He will have occasion to remember what rum has done for him for many years, as he will lose the use of one or more of his fingers.

CAT SHOW. A National Cat Show, will open at Music Hall, on Monday, Jan. 21, and will continue open during the remainder of that week. Prizes will be offered for eleven classes of cats, divided into short-haired, long-haired, maltese, tailless, tortoise shell, Tabby, brindle and tiger cats, cats judged of as to weight and size, female cats and cats of unusual color. Something like \$1000 worth of prizes in silver gifts will be distributed. No cat will be received later than 2 P. M. Jan. 21, and all entries must be made by the 18th of January.

Gilmanston, N. H., has a lady farmer, Mrs. J. D. Piper, who, though over sixty years of age, owns and manages a farm of seventy-five acres. The past summer she has herself done all her fencing, planting, hoeing, harvesting, and other farm work, with the exception of haying.

The Worcester Agricultural Society is over \$40,000 in debt.

We export to Portugal, goods in the value of \$200,000, most of it in wheat. Our imports from there reach only half a million.

The explosion of a kerosene lamp does \$200,000 of damage at Middletown, Pa.

The Congregational Church.

Two immense trees greeted the Sunday School of this denomination at Wollaston, and their friends, who assembled there on Christmas eve. The opening exercises consisted of remarks, readings and music, after which came the distribution of the coveted presents. In the course of his remarks, Dr. Zabriske said that he thought there was one person who deserved something more than the monogram in evergreen on the rear wall of the room could say, and he would give expression to his feelings in the following lines:

On stately wheels the year has rolled
Its loaded wagon to our door,
And underneath the Christmas Tree
We greet our little friends once more.

I said a wagon, but I'm sure
It goes on runners, not on wheels;
And, as the antlers steadily past,
I hear the sleigh-bells' merry peals,
Knee-deep in toys the driver stands,
All muffled up in furs and snow,
Whose half-fid face and beaming eyes
With kindly light are all aglow.

Ho! chariot of St. Nicholas!
Hurrah, boys, here it comes to-night,
And never was his car so full,
And never seemed his face so bright.

I'm sure we've seen him once before,
And know him spite of all disguise—
Stop, boys, keep quiet in your seats,
I'll give the wink for you to rise—
I shouldn't wonder if his name,
When brought down to the simple Saxon,
Had naught to do with the Old Nick,
But sounded more like—Henry Faxon!

With lighted churches, lighted trees,
To-night the town is all ablaze,
Old Quincy waves with Christmas trees,
And echoes with the children's praise.
From Point to Centre, on the Heights,
Along Neponset's tranquil stream,
From quarried rocks, from Merry Mount,
The joy-bells ring, the hollies gleam.

An army of a thousand hearts
And little feet that lightly run,
Are keeping time with joyous beat,
The Sunday Schools to-night are one.

It was a golden deed to plant
This grove with golden fruitage clad,
These trees all blossoming with love
And rooted in the Gospel glad.

And now, boys, is the time to rise
And say, "God bless good Mr. Faxon!"
As boys in blue cheered Uncle Abe,
And Rebs hurried for Stonewall Jackson.

God bless the man, who dares to speak
His thoughts in face of all the world,
Nor fears to fight the brood of hell
With sword ne'er sheathed and flag ne'er furled.

God bless the arm outstretched to raise
The fallen and the weak defend,
The heart that keeps forever young,
By being still the children's friend.

God bless the heart whose living words,
Are uplifted from above,
Let in the weary train of life,
Send out the sunny rays of love.

His is the richest joy to-night,
For Christ who came on Christmas Eve
Hath made the benefactor's share
More blest than their's who but receive.

Be his the gift of God, which comes
From clearer knowledge, larger love,
And life more closely linked to Him
Who came to earth to lead above.

For Christmas chimes will fainter ring,
And short and soon must fade away,
The tree will fall, the lights go out,
And even evergreens decay.

Be our eternal Christmas, then,
Where truth of life perennial rises,
With Christ to make us glad and rich
With all the fruits of Paradise.

Then glory be to God on high,
On earth be peace, good-will to men!
And when Old Christmas comes around,
May we be spared to meet again.

At about nine o'clock the service closed, and it is safe to say a happier company of children was never seen in Wollaston.

For the Patriot.
Atlantic Mission.

At no time since its start has the Mission been in such a prosperous condition as it is at present. The pastor, Rev. Charles F. Rice, is very popular, and the attendance on his ministrations very large. The Sunday evening prayer meeting, which was started on account of the closing of Neponset Bridge, has been continued ever since, and is very well attended.

The Sabbath School, under the superintendence of Bro. Ramsdell is in a flourishing condition, the attendance last Sunday lacking but very few of one hundred. The Christmas Festival was held in the School-house on Monday evening and drew a full house; the entertainment consisted of readings, recitations, dialogues, singing, &c., and at the close the children were made happy by the distribution of the fruits of a well stocked Christmas tree. The success of this part of the entertainment was largely due to the liberality of Henry H. Faxon, Esq., to whom we acknowledge ourselves much indebted.

Mrs. Catherine Ryan, of Randolph the last of the six victims who were smothered by coal gas, on the 18th inst., died in that town on the 22d inst., at the age of 34 years. Her case having been in the physicians' hands three days and nights, it was adjudged that the Medical Examiner had no jurisdiction over it, and therefore he was not called.

WATCH NIGHT. Next Monday night watching night, some two thousand singers under the leadership of Sankey will sing the old year out and the new one in, at the Tabernacle, in Boston.

In the Superior Court at Northampton on Thursday, Judge Rockwell rendered a decision refusing to grant the Northampton bank robbers a new trial. Undoubtedly they will be sentenced for life.

Nineteen tons of pure silver were sent from the assay office in New York, on the 12th, to the Philadelphia mint for coinage.

The franking privilege is to be restored to Congressmen and Vice President.

The first steamboat which entered Boston harbor from the Massachusetts coast, was the "Union," which left New York on the 18th of January.

The Worcester Agricultural Society is over \$40,000 in debt.

We export to Portugal, goods in the value of \$200,000, most of it in wheat. Our imports from there reach only half a million.

The explosion of a kerosene lamp does \$200,000 of damage at Middletown, Pa.

For the Patriot.

Braintree.
The third annual ball of the Butcher Boys occurred on Friday evening of last week. Smith & Russell's Band furnished music. A good company were present, and a very pleasant, enjoyable time was the result.

On Saturday morning, as the early Plymouth freight train was nearing South Braintree station, the engineer (Mr. Thomas Stevens) discovered a man lying upon the rails. Although every effort was made to stop the train in season, it was not until some of the cars had passed over him that the train was stopped. His remains were taken up in a mangled condition, and afterwards identified as those of Chas. Ring, who was returning to his home after having spent the night at a saloon in the village, and as a look-on at the Butcher Boy ball, leaving the last place about 3 o'clock A. M. He leaves a wife and three children to mourn his sad end. Some suspicions are entertained that he may have been the victim of foul play, and that life was extinct before his body was placed upon the rails. There is somewhat of a mystery about the affair which cannot be solved.

Monday, a little before noon, a second call was made at the saloon kept by Mr. Stoddard. "We'll take all we can find," that's what they said, and they did, and then made a second call at the St. Charles Saloon. Edward isn't there now as much as he has been,—he's done; but they found what they were after, and took what they found. So, of course, we shall have to come to Quincy now or else be teetotalers.

The Ellis family must be "Boss on Hogs." H. B. Ellis of Quincy reports one weighing 500 pounds in the Patriot of the 15th inst. Now hear what our Ellis reports: E. T. Ellis, Superintendent of the almshouse, raised three pigs, all one litter; the first weighed, when dressed, 485 pounds; the second, 472 pounds; the third, 525 pounds; total, 1,482 pounds, and making the average 494 pounds each. Now beat that, Hosea, will you?

Christmas eve was observed as usual. The Methodist Christmas Tree was at G. A. Hall, and the South Congregational Society at the Town Hall, and the North Society at Lyceum Hall. The little ones and some of the old folks were remembered. Even Charles's Twins were not forgotten.

Quick work! Christmas morning, about 2 o'clock, an alarm of fire called out the Butcher Boys. The fire was at Holbrook. In less than fifty minutes from the first alarm in Braintree, the Butcher Boys were playing a noble stream through 700 feet of hose on the burning buildings.

For the Patriot.
Neponset Bridge.

The article in last week's Patriot on the above subject, reminds me of a communication for your paper that I intended to send a month ago. I wish that, instead of the old wooden bridge, to have walls of stone from Quincy shore extending to the channel, and filled solid between with gravel. This would cost quite a sum of money, but it can be borrowed at a low rate of interest, and the said interest would not be much more than the annual expenditure for repairs on the wooden bridge. Further, it would be a source of labor for many men, and once completed would last for many years. I wish an interest could be awakened to bring about this good work.

SOLID.

PUBLIC LIBRARY. The following are the books recently added to the Public Library:

Shelf, No.	
Adams, W. T. Isles of the Sea; or, Young America	294 16
Andrews, J. The Seven Little Sisters	742 6
Black, W. Green Pastures and Pica-dilly	293 31
Clarke, J. F. Go Up Higher	540 11
Cook, C. The House Beautiful	475 30
Crowest, F. A Book of Musical Anecdotes	454 8-9
Eden, C. H. Japan—Historical and Descriptive	111 10
India—Historical and Descriptive	112 14
Harvey, P. Reminiscences of Daniel Webster	416 19
Kellogg, Elijah. Good Old Times	283 33
Stephens, J. L. Notes of Travel in Egypt and Nubia	113 9
Thomson, S. Wild Flowers	565 27
Townbridge, J. T. Bound in Honor	283 32
Anon. Burning of the Convent	283 5
Doings of the Bodley Family in Town and Country	283 31
Persons, Places and Things	141 27
Wanderings in Four Continents	141 26

Since the discovery of Dr. William's Indian Ointment there is certainly no excuse for any one to suffer with the Piles. See advertisement, Dec. 23, 1877.

Sunday Services.

CHRIST CHURCH. Services at 10:30 A. M. Sunday School at 12 o'clock.

SPIRITUALIST MEETING. Mr. Joseph D. Stiles will speak to-morrow, at Temperance hall at 2:30 P. M.

FIRST CHURCH. Sunday School at 9:30. Morning service at 10:30 by Rev. R. R. Shippen.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH AT WOLLASTON HEIGHTS. In the morning there will be a service for the closing year. In the evening there will be a Temperance Lecture by Crosby Carleton, M. D. of Dr. Traill's Medical College and a fellow laborer of Mr. Murphy in the Temperance work.

WOLLASTON HEIGHTS M. E. CHURCH. Preaching at 1:00 P. M. by Rev. F. C. Baker. Subject "Measure for Measure," followed by Sunday School. All are cordially invited.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH. Preaching service at 10:30 A. M., conducted by Rev. C. R. Moor, of Cambridge. Sunday School immediately following.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. J. H. Means, D. D. of Boston. Sabbath School at 11:45 A. M. Preaching at 7 P. M. by Dr. Means.

PRAYER AND CONFERENCE MEETING every Friday evening.

WEST QUINCY METHODIST CHURCH. Preaching at 10:30 A. M., followed by Sabbath School. Meeting for Bible study at 3 P. M. Anniversary of the Sabbath School at 7 o'clock. This will consist of Prayers, reports, addresses and concert exercises by the School.

ALL ARE INVITED.

FAIR. The annual Fair and Festival of the Ladies' Social Aid Society, connected with the West Quincy Methodist Society, will be held in the vestry of their church on Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, and Thursday afternoon and evening. The managers have made arrangements for the entertainment of all who may patronize them on this occasion. Literary exercises will be varied each evening. It is hoped that the ladies in their laudable and charitable objects will be encouraged.

LOST!
A DARK-BROWN, English Setter dog, wearing a black leather collar, with this inscription, "Herbert C. Leeds, Cambridge." The finder will be suitably rewarded by returning the dog to
SIGOURNEY BUTLER.
Quincy, Dec. 29.

Situation Wanted.
A GILL desires a situation to do general housework. Is a good washer and ironer. Apply at this office
Quincy, Dec. 29.

I AM GLAD
I know where to get
SOME SAUSAGES!
THAT ARE NOT A MYSTERY.
PRAY TELL ME WHERE.
— AT —
BROWN'S, 6 GRANITE ST.
Quincy, Dec. 29.

JUST RECEIVED
an assortment of
MOTTOES & MOTTO FRAMES,
Cardboard, all colors,
EMBOSSD PICTURES
AND SPINTS,
German Worsteds,
Stripper Patterns,
Java and Honeycomb Canvass.

NEW YEAR'S
Cards and Card Holders.

All can be bought Cheap for Cash at
N. B. FURNALD,
WASHINGTON STREET.
Quincy, Dec. 29.

SOMERSET
COAL COMPANY,
GRANITE ST., NEAR ROBERTSON'S BLK.

Lackawanna, Cumberland, Lehigh,
— AND —
Lyken's Valley Franklin Coal,
in small or large quantities, delivered promptly to order.

Hard and Soft Wood and Kindlings,
furnished in quantities to suit customers.

Thankful for the very liberal patronage heretofore bestowed, we hope by strict attention to business to merit a continuance.
OWEN ADAMS, Agent.
Quincy, Dec. 29.

Stereoscopes for 75 cents,
at SOUTHERN'S, 88 Hancock street.
Quincy, Dec. 15.

FOR SALE CHEAP.
A NICE VIOLIN, Bow and Instruction Books. The owner has no further use for them. Address Box 457.
Quincy, Dec. 22.

WHAT IS NICER
than a fine piece of
CORND MUTTON
Only 8 cents per pound,
— AT —
H. B. BROWN'S,
No. 6 Granite Street?
Quincy, Dec. 29.

EWELL & CO.
have a large lot of
SLEDS AND SKATES
— FOR THE —
Holiday Trade,
CHEAP FOR CASH!
Quincy, Dec. 15.

FURNACES AND RANGES!
The subscriber has on hand and is prepared to furnish at his New Building, corner of Washington and Hancock Streets, a full assortment of
Ranges and Cook Stoves,
Parlor and Office Stoves.

I have the
PALLAS PARLOR
Equally as good as the STEWART, which will sell
Eight Dollars

The Quincy Patriot.

SUPPLEMENT.

SATURDAY, DEC. 29, 1877.

Waiting for Dinner.

A florid-looking stranger with stamps to invest, stopped over at Omaha one night. He went to the "grande" eating-house.

"Can you bring me a good dinner?"
"Yaas, sir; what lee haave?"
"Have you roast beef?"
"Yaas."

"Bring me a roast for one, with boiled potatoes, cauliflower, cold baked beans, and a pint of claret."

"Yaas, sir; all right."
The guest waited twenty minutes, and became impatient. He cried out:

"Waiter, where's my dinner?"
"On 'ee stove, bakin'!"
"What's on the stove bakin'?"
"Ross' beef, sar; finest beef ever see; sixteen pound piece, out of that ar terrific bull."

"What?"
"Out of eer Texas bull, what cum down roarin', Tuesday an' was shot. Thaim's his horns!"

The stranger looked up, and over the doorway, sure enough, were a pair of stubbed horns, on which he counted thirteen rings.

"O!" said he, "yes! got it on, eh—all roasting nice?"

"Yaas," said the waiter.
"Then," said the stranger, "I'll take the train for Chicago, and return next week, Thursday. I am going over to get my teeth set—have it already and hot when I return."

"Yaas, sir; 'I'll be ready and hot."
"Farewell, and forever farewell!" said the stranger, grating his teeth, and casting a hasty glance at the stubbed horns of the "terrific bull."

He didn't locate any lots in Omaha.

Learn a Trade.

Daniel Webster is credited with having said:—"If I had as many sons as old Priam, I would have them all learn a trade, so they would have something to fall back on in case they failed in speculations." A Philadelphia paper thus sensibly moralizes thereon:—

The number of young men who are brought up to no useful trade or calling, is on the increase. The effect may be seen in political life, where thousands of men are begging, as at present for "position," with a vague idea that their untrained powers and ignorance can find shelter in some cosy nook where they may at least draw their pay. Being practically of no use to themselves or to any one else, they only hope to find some place where they can continue to exist without benefitting any one. A destitute young man without a trade, and who is not qualified by practice to fill any position, is in a condition to become a tramp, and the chances are that he will become one, or fare even worse by becoming a criminal."

To Induce Sleep.

Sleep has many friends and many foes. Its best friend is weariness, but even weariness and it sometimes fall out. The last method we have heard of for curing cases of pure sleepiness, when unaccompanied by pain or disease is the following: Get out of bed and take a linen bandage—but a large handkerchief, neatly folded longways will do as well perhaps better. Dip one-half of the handkerchief into water; pass the wet portion around the wrist over which pass the dry half, and tuck in the end so as to make all secure. Lie down again—the wet bandage will be found to exercise a most soothing influence on the pulse; this will soon extend over all the nervous system, and calm refreshing sleep will be the result.

CONJUGIAL SENSATION. The marriage of Miss Vanderbilt is among the late conjugal sensations in New York. I am afraid to tell you the number of her dresses, or even hint at the quality.

Madame Connolly, a modiste—who is to New York what Worth is to Paris, is the lucky architect of this magnificent tresson, and I am informed by one who has had a peep in her palace of wonders that a single lace flounce on the bridal dress cost \$5,000. Nothing like it has been seen in New York since Tweed's youngest daughter was married, she wore diamond buttons on her gaiters; Miss V. did not put her foot in it by doing so foolish a thing, though her necklace alone cost fifty thousand dollars and her bridal gift from her father was a million.

There is a firm in Brooklyn that has contracted to make 30,000 steam engines, and is now turning them out at the rate of 800 a day. You don't believe it? Nevertheless it is true, and we recently saw a specimen engine. It is about four inches high and an inch and a half wide, all complete in working order, with an accompanying furnace—that is to say, a tiny spirit-lamp—with which to heat the boiler, and all nicely packed in a box. When 30,000 of these curious little toys are completed, they are to be "given away" after the fashion of chromos, to the subscribers to a new child's newspaper.

The Springfield Union says a funny case, where an administrator of an estate, which is not more than 1000 miles from a city in Massachusetts, has declined to reimburse friends for time and expense incurred in attending the funeral of the deceased has just occurred.

The twenty-cent piece, which has always been a source of complaint, will soon be a thing of the past, its coinage having been discontinued.

A boarder vainly attempted to eat a portion of fowl, and laying down his knife and fork, exclaimed, "My sense of propriety compels me to respect old age, but I can't stomach it when roasted or broiled."

An article is going the rounds of the press under the head of "Why Some People are Poor." We haven't read it, but suspect it is because they haven't got any money or government bonds.

Among the growing Churches in the South is the "Colored Methodist Episcopal Church," which has been organized since the war. It has now four bishops, 600 travelling preachers, 582 local preachers, and between 80,000 and 90,000 members. One of the bishops—Lane is described as a native of Tennessee, forty-three years old, tall, erect, and in his general appearance a preponderance of Anglo-Saxon blood. He was a slave before the war, and never had the opportunity of attending school a day in his life. Despite the lack of early education, Bishop Lane is said to be a very capable administrative officer and a superior preacher.

Eliza Wilkinson of Danbury, Conn., has recently had some hemorrhages from the stomach, and a day or two ago she vomited up a live lizard, nearly five inches long. She says she felt a peculiar sensation in her throat while drinking from a spring at Asmetuck Mountain last summer, and has since been subject to a strange feeling in her stomach.

C. H. Harris of Bethel, Me., who advertised in the Boston Herald for laborers, was sentenced in the Superior Court to thirty days for swindling through the mails.

New Orleans has no smaller coin than the pietyune, or five cent piece in circulation.

FORD BROTHERS,

MANUFACTURERS OF
WILLIAMS'S CELEBRATED
WASHING CRYSTAL,
The Best Article of the Kind
in the World!

ASK your Grocer for Williams's Washing Crystal, AND TAKE NO OTHER. The very best article known for WASHING DIRTY OR SOILED HANDS. Also, for HOUSE CLEANING AND ALL DOMESTIC PURPOSES.

Half the Labor and half the Soap Saved by using

Williams's Washing Crystal.

For sale by all first-class Grocers.

TRY OUR
JAMAICA GINGER,
The Best and Cheapest in the Market!

Also—

Flavoring Extracts.

OF ALL KINDS. E. T. FORD,
Quincy, Sept. 15.

Valuable Real Estate IN QUINCY, FOR SALE.

THE following described parcels of land situated in Quincy, and belonging to the Estate of the late GIBBLEY TOTMAN, viz.:
A valuable piece of land on Elm street, with the buildings thereon, consisting of a Provision Store, Shop, Barn, and other buildings. It has a street on two sides, and being centrally located, is excellent property for business purposes, or for a residence.
Also, on the same street, nearly opposite the above mentioned premises, a piece of rich cultivated land, having a frontage of sixty feet upon the street, and adjoining the homestead of the late GIBBLEY TOTMAN.
Also a valuable lot of Woodland in West Quincy.
For further particulars apply to
MRS. GIBBLEY TOTMAN.
Quincy, May 19, 1877.

DORCHESTER. Mutual Fire Insurance Company. P. O. NEPONSET, Mass. Ward 16, Boston, Mass. E. J. BAKER, Pres't. W. F. TEMPLE, Sec'y.

STATEMENT, JANUARY 1, 1877.
Amount Insured by 6,834 Policies, \$11,192,964.00
On Real Estate, 9,298,367.00
On Personal, 1,894,597.00

Cash Assets.
Real Estate (Brick and Stone Building), \$24,000.00
Loaned on Mortgages, 23,500.00
Corporation Note—Boston and Lowell R. R., 5,000.00
National Bank Stock, 14,536.00
Rail Road Stock, 42,530.00
U. S. 5-20 Bonds, 20,884.00
Policies in Course of Collection, 11,912.26
Deposit Notes, Uncollected, 500.00
Interest Due and earned to date, 1,950.50
Cash on Deposit N. E. Trust Co., 26,468.19
do. in Elliot National Bank, 2,902.11
Furniture of Office, Halls, and Stores, 1,600.00
\$175,181.06
Amount of Deposit Notes available (with-
out assessments) to pay losses, 164,000.00
\$339,181.06

\$75,181.06 Cash Surplus, and \$239,181.06 available surplus over amount required to re-insure all our risks.
The Company continues to insure the safer class of property at current rates, and to pay Return Premiums on terminated policies at 40 per cent. on five-year policies, 25 per cent. on three years, and 15 per cent. on one year policies.
Neponset, Feb. 12.

WEYMOUTH & BRAINTREE Mutual Fire Insurance Company. OF WEYMOUTH.

INSURES DWELLINGS AND OTHER BUILDINGS
NOT EXTRA HAZARDOUS,
and their contents, at as low rates as at any other reliable Company

Amount at Risk April 1, 1873.
\$2,035,704.00.

Cash Assets, \$25,923.01
Deposit Notes, 76,428.57
Total available Assets, \$102,351.58
N. L. WHITE, President.
ELIAS RICHARDS, Sec'y.
Wm. B. DUGGAN, Agent, Quincy.
Weymouth, Aug. 1.

Quincy Mutual Fire Insurance Company.

CASH FUND, November 1, 1877.
\$365,000.00.
Surplus over Re-Insurance, over
\$160,000.00.

50 per cent. dividend paid on all expiring 5-year policies, 20 per cent. on 3 years, and 20 per cent. on all others.

This Company has been in operation over 26 years, has paid over \$1,300,000 in losses (\$456,868.25 of which was at the "Boston fire," of Nov. 1872) and over \$500,000 in dividends to policy-holders.

None but the safer classes of risks taken.
I. W. MUNROE, Pres. and Treas.
CHARLES A. ROWLAND, Sec'y.
Quincy, Nov. 1, 1877.

CITIZENS' MUTUAL INSURANCE COMPY., OF BOSTON, (formerly BRIGHTON.) IS NOW PAYING

A Dividend of 80 per cent.
on seven year Policies, 60 per
cent. on 5, and 50 per cent. on
all others at expiration.

INSURES Dwellings, Private Barns and contents, on the most favorable terms.
Cash Assets, Jan. 1, 1877, \$290,335.23
Deposit Notes, in force, 309,058.52
Total, \$599,393.75
Liabilities, Unsettled claims for losses, \$3,840.00

H. C. BIGELOW, President.
J. W. PEARODY, Sec. and Treas.
BOSTON OFFICE—No. 42 Congress Street.
JOHN HARDWICK, AGENT.
Quincy, Aug. 29

JOHN HARDWICK & CO. Real Estate & Insurance AGENTS.

Granite Street, Quincy.
Insurance secured in any reliable Office.
Quincy, Feb. 10.

Insurance Agency, Established in Quincy in 1849 BY W. PORTER.

INSURANCE EFFECTED in reliable and safe STOCK and MUTUAL OFFICES—by
W. PORTER & CO.,
At No. 27 STATE STREET, BOSTON.
Residence, QUINCY, corner Adams and Hancock Streets
Quincy, April 26.

Pure Cider Vinegar, 30 cents per gallon, For sale by HENRY CHUBBUCK.

Two Express Wagons, AND HARNESES. One Large Ice Chest, Meat Bench, Scales, and everything needed for fitting up a Provision Store. At house near Universalist Church, Quincy, Aug. 11.

IRA LITCHFIELD, Carpenter and Builder, PEARL STREET, SOUTH QUINCY.

PARTICULAR ATTENTION is called to our stock of STOVES & RANGES, including the HIGHLAND, AUBURN And Royal Ranges.

These Ranges have extra large tops, and the flues are so arranged that all the holes are available, and are supplied with Reed's Regulator, which saves Coal and keeps the fire under perfect control. They are mounted in the most perfect manner and are supplied with all Modern Improvements.

Other patterns of RANGES
FROM \$18 UPWARDS.

"STEWART" PARLOR STOVES! "HIGHLAND," "ROYAL," "WELL DONE" And Other Patents.

The "Berkley" Open Stove IS THE BEST.

The "Splendid" Base Burner

is without exception the most Perfect Stove in the market.

IN FURNACES, we shall recommend the Best, and will guarantee Perfect Satisfaction. Any pattern of Stove or Furnace supplied at Manufacturers' Prices. Also, a full assortment of custom-made

TIN WARE —AND— Kitchen Furnishing Goods.

Furnaces, Ranges and Stoves repaired at short notice.

Pumps Set and Repaired.
IRON SINKS, LEAD PIPE, SHEET LEAD
AND ZINC, always in stock.

We shall continue to keep a full stock of
DRAIN PIPE, at Lowest Cash Prices.

PIERCE & SANBORN, HANCOCK STREET.

Quincy, Dec. 1.

STOVES! The Best Stove in the Market!!

G. W. WALKER'S FRANCONIA

Double Oven Range, Warranted to BAKE IN BOTH OVENS AT THE SAME TIME, and FIRST-CLASS IN EVERY RESPECT.

Also,—Sole Agents in Quincy for the celebrated

Stewart Parlor Stoves.

Also,—Repair pieces.

E. S. FELLOWS.
Quincy, Oct. 13.

P. H. GAVIN, PLUMBER.

Formerly with WM. MILLS & CO., BOSTON.
Has commenced business at
96 Hancock Street, Quincy.
(Up one flight, in Adams's Block.)

Orders addressed to Box 308 Quincy Post Office, will receive prompt attention.
EVERY VARIETY of PLUMBING WORK done at lowest prices.
Quincy, Jan. 28.

The Latest Yet! The LA SUBLIME de ANONYMA

CIGAR!

The Best Cigar for 10 cts.
ever offered to the public.

In Boxes of Twenty-fives, Fifties and One Hundreds.
Liberal discount to parties purchasing a box. Also,

CIGARETTES, Plug and Fine Cut Tobaccos.

G. F. WILSON'S.

P. S.—SMUGGLER CIGARS—the only genuine ones in town.
Quincy, Dec. 8.

CHEAP! Ladies' Merino Undervests and Pants,

At the Very Lowest Prices.
Twenty Dozen just received from Auction,
By
E. CLAPP,
Quincy, Oct. 30.

Budget of Fun.

The following is related by a Nevada newspaper to show Senator Jones' influence in that State: A boy in a Sunday school, after hearing the superintendent talk about Providence, asked another boy, "Do you believe all that?" "Yes." "What! that God made all these mountains and all this town?" "Yes." "And all these mines on the Comstocks?" "Yes." "And all of them down at Gold Hill?" "Yes." "Well, I guess John P. Jones had something to say about that."

Two men sat upon the ragged edge of the plank-walk at the corner of Centre and Main streets, in Hartford, Conn., on election day, to have an argument over the greenback question, which had been worrying their minds for some time.

"Now," said one, as he crammed a fist of tobacco into a black pipe, "this here bond question is what worries me. Them five-twenties and seven-thirties."

"Faith, that's easy enough," said the other. "The hard-money men want you to go to work at 5.20 in the morning, and quit at 7.30 in the evening."

"To blazes with 'um; I'll vote the greenback ticket."

"No, I don't want none of your lightning-rods!" said a Kentucky farmer last week to a man who had stopped at his house to put up patent lightning conductors. "I ain't afraid of lightning. It's thunder I believe's going to knock us all endways some day." "You don't seem to comprehend," said the peddler. "These ere silver-tipped rods are lightning-rods, and the gold-tipped ones are thunder-rods—just what you want," and he persuaded the old man to order the gold-tipped rods.

Wishing to pay his friend a compliment, a gentleman remarked: "I hear you have a very industrious wife." "Yes," replied the friend, with a melancholy smile, "she's never idle. She's always finding something for me to do."

She waltzed like Juno at the hop; I vowed the question I would pop; and as her partner tendered her a seat, my throbbing heart with anxious pang did beat. I tripped beside my lovely charm; I bowed and gently touched her arm. "Engaged for next?" I said, "my darling Kate?" "Go 'way," said she, "you hit my vaccinatee."—Binghamton Republican.

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D. B. STETSON

is that his trade is so large that he can sell at a few cents profit on each pair, and will also warrant all his goods to be as represented, but if any should prove poor, he would be pleased to have them returned and exchanged for others. Please read some of the prices and judge for yourselves:

Men's Heavy Rubber Boots,
at \$2.50 per pr.

Men's Thick Tap Sole Boots,
at \$2.25 per pr.

Men's Extra Tap and Double Sole, at \$3.00 per pr.

Women's Rubber Overs, at 30 cents per pr.

Women's Rubber Leggings,
at \$1.25 per pr.

Women's Wool Heeled Buskins,
at 60 cents per pr.

Women's Wool Heeled Boots
(Heavy), at \$1 per pr.

Women's Glove, Flannel Lined Heel Buskins, at \$1 per pr.

Misses' Boots, Shoes and Rubbers, in great variety and at Lower Prices than can be found at any other place.

Men's Calf Sewed Boots, at \$3.75 per pr.

Men's Heavy Double Sole & Tap Brogans, at \$1.45 per pair.

Please remember that repairing Rubber and Leather Boots and Shoes is done in the best manner and at short notice.

D. B. STETSON, Washington Street, QUINCY.

Quincy, Dec. 3.